

EPWORTH LEAGUERS
NOW IN SESSION

CONVENTION OPENED AT TORONTO, CANADA.

Attendance Is Enormous—Wonderful Growth of the Organization Shown in the Speeches—Baptist Young People's Union in Session at Chattanooga, Tenn.

Toronto, Ont., July 16.—A mighty volume of song issued shortly after the dinner hour today from Massey hall and the Metropolitan church. Within these two great auditoriums there were gathered thousands of representatives of the Methodist of the world and thousands more of Canadians of all denominations who had assembled to give greeting to the standard bearers of this division of the large army. Upon the platforms, in the front seats or ranged under designatory banners, were representative Methodists of every state and territory of the United States, of every province of Canada, of Britain, and of Asiatic countries. It was the opening of the third international convention of the Epworth League, or the young people's society of the Methodist church.

In the absence of Lord Aberdeen, A. S. Hardy, premier of Ontario, greeted the visitors from that province, and Rev. Dr. Carman of this city spoke words of welcome for Toronto Methodism. All of the speeches were marked by extreme cordiality and fraternity. When responses were in order Bishop W. K. Nide spoke for the Methodist Episcopal church proper, Bishop O. P. Fitzgerald of Nashville for the church in the south, and Rev. Dr. Simpson Johnson for the Wesley Guild of England.

In the course of the speeches of the American delegates some interesting details of the great growth of the organization were afforded. Brought into existence less than eight years ago, it has over fourteen thousand senior and four thousand junior chapters, with a membership exceeding 1,500,000. Not only does it permeate every section of the United States and Canada, but there are chapters in Japan, China, India, Bulgaria, Italy, Sweden, Norway, Denmark, the Argentine Republic, Brazil, Mexico, and other places where the church has a missionary foothold. It has also a strong following in the Methodist Episcopal church south and has been recently introduced into England where it bids fair to duplicate its success on this continent.

The general cabinet of the Epworth league of the Methodist Episcopal church continued its sessions at the Queen's hotel. The reading course to be used during the year was discussed and the following works were approved: "The Picket Line of Missions," "Life of George Washington," by E. M. Taylor; "The Ministry of Art," by Frank M. Bristol; and "Life on High Levels," by Margaret Sangster.

The most important feature of this convention is the fact that there will be arrangements made for the evolution from an international to an intercontinental convention.

An effort will be made to have the convention in 1900 held in England.

A message from President McKinley was received by the Epworth league officers. It was read at the meeting by Dr. Berryman of Chicago, and was as follows:

"Executive Mansion, Washington, July 15.—I rejoice at the prospects of your organization, and wish it a most successful reunion.

"WILLIAM M'KINLEY."

At Dr. Berryman's suggestion the following message was returned: "Thanks and greetings from the thousands of Epworth league members in convention assembled at Toronto. We pray heaven's richest blessings upon the President of the United States in the administration of his high office."

BAPTISTS AT CHATTANOOGA.

The National Convention Is in Session in the Southern City.

Chattanooga, Tenn., July 16.—The seventh international convention of the Baptist Young People's Union of America began in this city Thursday with about 4,000 delegates and some of the most prominent Baptist leaders in the country present.

The handsomely and elaborately decorated City Auditorium was completely filled at the hour of opening.

The convention was opened with a short song service, led by Dr. L. L. Henson of Fort Wayne, Ind., formerly secretary of the board of managers. The immense audience joined enthusiastically with the choir in the singing, and a great wave of inspiring harmony floated through the building. At the close of the song service Dr. Henson read the 46th psalm and delivered a fervent invocation, after which President Chapman delivered the opening address.

The addresses of welcome, all eloquent and interesting, were then delivered.

The afternoon session began at 2 o'clock with praise services, after which the reading of the annual report of officers was taken up.

The report of Treasurer Frank Moody of Milwaukee showed evidence of greater economy and better financial condition than before. For the year ended Jun 30, 1896, a comparison of assets and liabilities showed a deficit of \$4,820.23. For the year ended June

30, 1897, after a conservative estimate of assets, the deficit is reduced to \$1,737.17 showing a gain for the year of \$3,082.05. An examination of the report of the business manager shows a gain during the year in accounts receivable of \$3,587.79, plus a reduction of indebtedness to the amount of \$317.50.

The board of managers recommended some changes in the constitution which were accepted and approved by the convention. These changes led to a most complete union of the forces of the Baptist Young People's Union of America with the southern union, by which the forces of both are consolidated, and, in making this new relation with the southern department, separate departments were provided for the north, the south, the east and the west, to be known hereafter as the Baptist Young People's union, north; Baptist Young People's union, south, etc., instead of as heretofore by department colors.

SPLIT IN THE LEAGUE.

Republican Clubs in Strife Over the Convention City.

Detroit, July 16.—The Republican National league Thursday expressed renewed confidence in M. J. Dowling of Renville, Minn., by re-electing him as secretary. Frank J. Higgins of Jersey City, N. J., is the new treasurer. Omaha will be the next place of meeting.

The bitterest fight of the convention developed over the contest between Omaha and Baltimore to secure the next convention. An attempt to name Chicago as a compromise failed. As a result of the intense feeling stirred up by the fight, the Maryland delegation left for home, declaring that it would certainly lead a secession of eastern states from the league.

Plans to form an eastern league were informally discussed in the afternoon. J. A. E. Orr, J. Cookman Boyd and Maj. Rittenhouse of the Maryland delegation favor immediate action that will sever connection with the national league. They claim that the refusal to give the east the next convention will be resented. They say the conventions have been repeatedly held in the west and the demands of the east as often ignored.

The committee voted to continue Chicago as the league's headquarters. The date of the Omaha convention was left to President Crawford and the committee from Nebraska. A new plan of assessments for raising money was adopted, and the secretary's salary was fixed at \$3,600. It was decided to levy an assessment on each state of \$2 per head, according to the representation of the respective state leagues in the national conventions. The assessments are to be paid not later than Nov. 1.

The list of vice-presidents is made up as follows: Pennsylvania, Mahlon D. Young; Oregon, H. M. Calk; Nebraska, W. P. McCreary; Iowa, John S. McQuiston; Indiana, J. W. Egnew; Virginia, Samuel Burroughs; West Virginia, Stuart Reed; Illinois, W. A. Roderberg; Alabama, Charles Henley; New Jersey, Thomas McEwan; New York, John W. Totten; Ohio, W. E. Sefton; Tennessee, F. L. Case; Texas, J. E. Lutz; Vermont, H. S. Peck; Wyoming, F. E. Warren; Wisconsin, C. E. Buell; Louisiana, W. S. Hero; Missouri, John L. Gleason; Mississippi, Joshua Stevens; Maryland, John C. Friedel; Massachusetts, W. Murray Crane; Kansas, D. A. Hook; Kentucky, William M. Donaldson; Minnesota, R. E. Thompson; Colorado, Benjamin F. Kimberly; Utah, Dennis C. Elchison; Georgia, J. F. Hanson; Arkansas, M. A. Elliott; Oklahoma, C. M. Barnes; California, L. C. Brow; New Mexico, Max Frost; South Dakota, W. G. Porter; Michigan, A. F. Pease; Colleague League, J. B. Whitney, Illinois.

Kicked to Death and Burned. Florence, Ala., July 16.—Near West Point, Tenn., Tuesday afternoon, Miss Rene Williams was found brutally murdered in the woods near her home. Thursday Anthony Williams, her murderer, was captured near Pruitton, and he expiated his crime in the streets of West Point, in the presence of 500 people. Williams was riddled with bullets and burned in the streets of West Point, his body being burned to ashes. Before a shot was fired the negro was knocked down and stamped to death.

Sultan May Yield to the Powers. Constantinople, July 16.—Tewfik Pasha, who is conducting the peace negotiations on behalf of the Turkish government, has informed the ambassadors of the powers that he hoped the council of ministers would make a reply to the collective note that would prove satisfactory, and that this reply would be presented this evening. His assurance gives rise to the hope that Turkey will comply with the demands of the powers.

Plans Vigorous Campaign. Louisville, Ky., July 16.—It is understood that the gold Democrats intend making a most vigorous campaign for ex-Lieutenant Governor James R. Hindman, who was nominated Wednesday for clerk of the court of appeals. The Republicans either will make no nomination against Hindman or will put his name on their own ticket.

Heavy Fire Loss in Berlin. Berlin, July 16.—Fire broke out Wednesday night in a large building on the Hausvogter-Platz, the center of the dress and mantle trade, causing a loss of between 6,000,000 and 7,000,000 marks. The firms of Frankel and Backer and Leon were the chief sufferers.

TALK OF THE STRIKE
AT COLUMBUS, OHIO

LABOR LEADERS HOLD A CONFERENCE TODAY.

Miners' Prospects Improve—Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen Offer Aid to Their Comrades in the Coal Pits—Arbitration Efforts Are Also Under Way.

Columbus, Ohio, July 16.—The conference of labor leaders which was to be held yesterday, to appoint organizers for work in West Virginia, was not held, because of the delayed arrival of Eugene V. Debs and J. R. Sovereign. It is to be held today.

Many operators have notified the miners that they are in sympathy with the strikers' movement and wish to see it succeed. One operator whose 2,000 miners are striking, has notified the bosses to see that none of the men suffer for food while they are out.

The chairman of the joint arbitration board, in session in Pittsburgh, has wired Senator Hanna that with his assistance the strike can be settled, and has asked for that aid.

The arbitrators are still sanguine that they will complete a true uniformity agreement between operators and miners. Neither of the essential elements to the agreement is as hopeful.

News from West Virginia is to the effect that the miners are becoming restless and that a strike in the mountain state is imminent. Several mines have closed.

The national officers were much encouraged by the receipt of a letter from Frank P. Sargent, grand master of the Brotherhood of Firemen, in which the chief of the organization placed his services at the disposal of the strikers, and suggested that it would not be amiss to call on the rank and file of his organization for financial assistance in case it was needed.

Mr. Sargent's offer of assistance has a peculiar significance, for the reason that the members of his organization are the men who handle much of the coal consumed in this country. The strike leaders say that with the assistance of the locomotive firemen alone they can win the strike, but their general offices contain numerous letters from labor organizations in which moral and financial assistance is pledged.

An official bulletin presuming to outline the strike situation was issued from rational headquarters. The bulletin makes the important announcement that the suspension is to be considered as general, and no local settlements will be authorized or recognized.

WHY MINERS STRUCK.

Sample of the Wages Which They Are Being Paid.

Columbus, O., July 16.—President Hatchford has mailed personal requests to miners throughout the country asking for statements regarding the wages they received, for publication for the benefit of the public.

Thirty-nine miners in the Sandy Creek valley have been heard from. Since early in the spring the wages of these men for each two weeks has averaged \$5.74 each.

The total earnings was \$223.98, and for the same period their indebtedness to the operators for rent, provisions, mining materials, etc., aggregated \$619.29, leaving the miners in debt to their employers in the sum of \$396.71. President Hatchford says this is a half sample condition of the miners.

Strike Is General in Indiana.

Terre Haute, Ind., July 16.—President Knight of the Indiana miners says the miners of the state are out now more generally than perhaps ever before in a strike, and that there is a fixed purpose to remain out and be peaceable until the strike is won. There is no hint of lawlessness, notwithstanding Kentucky coal is passing through the Indiana field for Chicago.

Great Landslide in Vermont.

Montpelier, Vt., July 16.—News has reached here of a big landslide that occurred Wednesday forenoon in the mountains near Lincoln. A slide half a mile wide came down the side of the mountain, a distance of over half a mile, sweeping off every tree and movable rock, which were piled into an immense heap of debris in the valley below. Several farms were partially covered, but no houses were wrecked.

"Father Bill" Curtis Stricken.

New York, July 16.—William B. (Father Bill) Curtis, well known as an athlete and as a referee in athletic sports, was overcome by heat in his office in this city Thursday. Mr. Curtis is 60 years of age and is one of the editors of the Spirit of the Times.

Kansas Bank Statement.

Topeka, Kas., July 16.—An abstract made by the state bank commissioner of reports from 373 private and state banks, giving their condition July 1, shows total deposits amounting to \$18,050,430, and total loans amounting to \$15,634,206. This is the first time the deposits have exceeded the loans.

Fear for Senator Wellington.

Cumberland, Md., July 16.—Senator Wellington is a very sick man. It is stated that he is suffering from congestion of the lungs.

RECORD IS BROKEN
AS TO THE EXPORTS

SATISFACTORY SHOWING FOR AMERICAN COMMERCE.

New High Mark for Trade—Never Before in the History of the United States Was So Much Merchandise Sent Abroad As During the Year Just Ended—House and Senate

Washington, July 16.—The monthly statement of the exports and imports of the United States makes the remarkable showing that never before in the history of the country have the exports of merchandise, which include practically all the exports except gold and silver, reached so high a figure as during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1897, nor has the excess of exports over imports ever been so large. The only time these figures were approached was in 1892, when the United States was making heavy shipments of grain to feed Europe after a series of deficient harvests.

The statement for 1897, with comparisons, is as follows: Exports of domestic merchandise, \$1,032,998,880; increase over 1896 about \$170,000,000; total exports of domestic and foreign merchandise, \$1,051,987.91, as compared with \$882,606,938 for 1896. The total imports of merchandise during the fiscal year just closed amounted to \$764,373,965, of which \$381,932,605 was free of duty. The total imports were about \$15,350,000 less than last year, and the excess of exports over imports for the year was \$287,613,186. This is an excess of about \$185,000,000 over last year and an excess of about \$23,000,000 over any previous year.

GEN. FORSYTHE'S PETITION.

Asks the House to Strike Out the Sugar Schedule of the New Bill.

Washington, July 16.—Gen. George J. A. Forsythe, who was recently retired from the army, is the author of a remarkable petition which was presented to the house of representatives by Mr. Belknap of Illinois. The petition prays the house to strike the sugar schedule from the tariff bill. The most scathing arraignment of the sugar trust thus far made before congress is conveyed in the statements set forth by General Forsythe in support of his prayer.

The tariff conferees are in a more hopeful mood and one of the leading representatives of the senate expressed the opinion that the Republicans would be able to conclude their labors to-day and to summon the Democratic members by Saturday.

Work in the Senate.

Washington, July 16.—Pacific railway affairs occupied the attention of the senate throughout and the Harris resolution relating to the pending judicial proceedings against the Union Pacific road finally went over until today. A joint resolution was passed accepting the invitation of France to participate in the Paris exposition of 1900.

Senator Gorman Is Ill.

Laurel, Md., July 16.—The friends of Senator Gorman have apprehensions of



SENATOR GORMAN.

the senator's health. His nervous system is badly shattered, and instead of gaining he is losing strength.

International Bimetallism Conference.

London, July 16.—There is every indication that an international monetary conference will be held in the United States, with Great Britain as a participant. This is the probable result of the visit to Europe of the special monetary envoys recently appointed by President McKinley.

A joint proposal of bimetallism was presented Thursday on behalf of the United States and France at a conference held at the foreign office. The proposals, after some discussion, were taken under advisement, and the British cabinet will give its answer at a subsequent conference.

Rich Gold Discoveries in Alaska.

San Francisco, July 16.—Just across the Alaska boundary in British territory has been discovered a gold mine of such vast extent and such unbounded wealth that the mines of Golconda are eclipsed. "Forty-nine" in California is considered a child's fairy tale as compared with the story of the find of gold in the Yukon district. Millions and millions of virgin gold is said to await the courageous miner who dares to brave the frosts and snows of the unknown Yukon district.

Colonel Crocker Given Up.

San Mateo, Cal., July 16.—Physicians have given up all hope of Colonel Crocker's recovery, a sudden change for the worse having set in.

THE BASEBALL REPORT.

Results of Yesterday's Games Played in the Various Leagues.

Chicago put up yesterday the game it reserves for the league leaders and succeeded in giving the champions a set back. Boston moved ahead by winning from Pittsburgh, while the Reds fell down to Washington. Tebeau's team, which is making the most of its home series, took a close contest from Brooklyn. New York had an easy time in shutting out Louisville, which sunk in the standing to a par with Washington. The Browns dropped a close game to the Phillies, who are now on the climb. Scores:

At Chicago—
Chicago 3 0 0 2 0 0 0 *—5
Baltimore 0 0 1 0 0 2 0 0—3
At Pittsburgh—
Boston 2 0 3 1 0 1 0 0—7
Pittsburg 0 0 0 2 0 1 0 0—2
At Cleveland—
Cleveland 0 0 0 0 1 1 0 0—2
Brooklyn 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0—1
At Louisville—
New York 0 5 1 0 0 4 0 0—10
Louisville 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0
At Cincinnati—
Washington 3 0 0 6 5 0 2 0—16
Cincinnati 1 0 0 1 0 1 1 0—5
At St. Louis—
Philadelphia 1 0 1 0 0 0 0 0—2
St. Louis 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0
Games today—Baltimore at Chicago; Boston at Pittsburgh; New York at Louisville; Philadelphia at St. Louis.

Western League.

At Milwaukee—Grand Rapids, 11; Milwaukee, 6.
At St. Paul—St. Paul, 6; Columbus, 1.
At Minneapolis—Minneapolis, 13; Detroit, 5.
At Kansas City—Indianapolis, 21; Kansas City, 8.

Western Association.

At Rockford—Burlington, 5; Rockford, 3.
At Cedar Rapids—St. Joseph, 5; Cedar Rapids, 4.
At Dubuque—Dubuque, 3; Des Moines, 2.
At Peoria—Peoria, 5; Quincy, 4.

Michigan League.

At Saginaw—Bay City, 9; Saginaw, 5.
At Lansing—Lansing, 8; Port Huron, 2.

SPANISH-JAPANESE ALLIANCE.

Meant to Carry Both Coasts of the Union in Case of Hostilities.

London, July 16.—A dispatch from Paris to a news agency here says that inquiry at an American embassy there has elicited a confirmation of the rumor that the governments of Spain and Japan have arranged an offensive alliance against the United States. The terms of the understanding, which is for the mutual protection of Cuba and Hawaii, provide that in the event of an active aggressive movement on the part of the United States tending toward interference in Cuban affairs or persistence in the annexation of the Hawaiian islands, both Spain and Japan shall declare war simultaneously against the United States, and shall make hostile demonstrations along both the Atlantic and Pacific coast lines of that country.

Washington, July 16.—Little credence is placed in official circles here in the statement that the Spanish and the Japanese governments have entered into an offensive alliance against the United States for the mutual protection of Cuba and Hawaii. Mr. Day, the first assistant secretary, discredited the report and regarded it as too improbable to discuss. "The state department has no information concerning the reported alliance," he said, "and I don't believe there is any foundation for the statement that one has been entered into." Both the Spanish and Japanese ministers are away from the city.

Shortage Is Discovered.

Chester, Ill., July 16.—The penitentiary commissioners Thursday called into consultation the former members of the board, and, together with ex-Warden Schneider and ex-Clerk Havill, entered into an examination of the books and accounts of the institution, disclosing an apparent shortage on the part of ex-Clerk Havill of about \$8,000.

So far as known the entire trouble lies in the failure of the late clerk to have made entries of goods sold at the prison and money received therefor.

To Protest Against Dingley Bill.

Berlin, July 16.—A special dispatch to the Vossische Zeitung from Eisenach, Grand Duchy of Saxe-Weimar, says that the farmers of that district have passed a resolution setting forth that America's violation of her treaty obligations seriously affects the sugar industry, and soliciting the government to take measures to protect German sugar and to retaliate, if necessary, by raising the tariff on American cattle and grain, and especially upon petroleum.

WIN Go to Chicago.

Indianapolis, Ind., July 16.—The governor has appointed Dr. O. S. Rannels of this city and William C. Burk of Thornton members of his staff. All the members of the staff were requested to accompany the governor to Chicago on the occasion of the dedication of the Logan statue July 22. A general invitation to the captains of companies of the national guards of Indiana was also extended.

TOOK IN BAD COIN
FOR SWEET CHARITY

MARINETTE LADIES VICTIMIZED BY BAD MEN.

Ran the Street Cars Yesterday But Took In Enough Counterfeit Silver To Knock Off All the Profit For the Poor—They Worked All Day.

Marinette, Wis., July 16.—Yesterday the Methodist ladies handled the street car service for charitable purposes and made quite a record. Today it was discovered that they collected over \$30 in counterfeit dollars and gave good money in exchange thereby diminishing the receipts. The ladies stuck to their posts until midnight but the counterfeit coin made their work for naught.

Wisconsin Central Wins.

Ashland, Wis., July 16.—A decision was filed by Judge Helm Thursday by which sixty-two settlers against whom ejectment proceedings were brought by the Wisconsin Central Railroad company lose, as far as the lower court is concerned. The settlers had put up about \$30,000 worth of improvements on the lands, which they are seeking to recover in case the decision of the lower courts in ejectment proceedings is sustained.

In Defense of Heydlauff.

Ashland, Wis., July 16.—Attorney Sanborn, who defended R. C. Heydlauff in the late forgery trial, publishes a long statement to show that Heydlauff was not guilty of one of the forgeries with which he was charged and that the other was committed by some person unknown and placed in Heydlauff's hands to entrap him.

A. E. Thompson Elected President.

Madison, Wis., July 16.—A. E. Thompson of Oshkosh was elected president of the state board of normal regents to succeed E. D. Coe of White-water. Major S. S. Rockwood was elected secretary.

LISTEN TO BRYAN.

Silver Leader Speaks at the Transmississippi Congress.

Salt Lake, July 16.—The attendance at the transmississippi congress was large Thursday, as it had been announced that William Jennings Bryan would be present.

Mr. Bryan in taking the chair said he was fully in accord with the movements of the congress, which represented a great empire in the west.

The resolutions committee reported the following: Resolved, That while we favor the free coinage of gold and silver through international agreement at the ratio of 15½ to 1, if it can be secured, yet efforts in behalf of such an agreement afford no reason for the American people to cease their endeavors in behalf of independent bimetallism on the part of the United States, and this congress places itself upon record as demanding the immediate restoration of the free and unlimited coinage of gold and silver at the present ratio of 16 to 1, without waiting for the aid or consent of any other nation, such gold and silver coin to be alike a full legal tender for all debts, public and private.

Millions Paid for Pensions.

Des Moines, Iowa, July 16.—The annual report of Charles Robinson, pension agent for the Iowa-Nebraska district, has been prepared and forwarded to the department at Washington. It shows that during the year the agency paid in pensions \$8,324,999, of which \$4,887,230 went to Iowa residents, \$2,115,960 to Nebraskans, and the rest to people living in various states. At the beginning of the year there were on the roll 56,668 persons drawing pensions, and 58,929 have received pensions during the year. The total loss from the rolls is about 2,174.

New Counterfeit Bill Found.

Washington, July 16.—Chief Hazen of the secret service has given notice of the discovery of a new counterfeit \$10 silver certificate. It is of the series of 1891, check letter D, with the small carmine seal, the portrait of Hendricks and the names of Messrs. Tillman and Morgan as register and treasurer, respectively. The counterfeit is described as apparently a wood-cut production, very poorly executed, the seal being light pink, instead of carmine, the numbering irregular and the printing and engraving bad.

Dr. McDowell Again a Victor.

Henley-on-Thames, July 16.—Dr. W. S. McDowell, the Chicago oarsman, won the fifth trial heat for the Diamond sculls from T. J. Hogan, New Ross Boat Club, Ireland, with ridiculous ease. It was a great triumph for the American. His time was 9 minutes 33 seconds.

For a Catholic Woman's College.

Washington, July 16.—The Catholic sisters of Notre Dame will soon establish in this city a woman's college similar to Vassar, and on just as high plane. It will be known as Trinity college and will be adjacent to the Catholic university. Work is to begin on the building Oct. 1.

Crossed Wire Starts a Fire.

Pueblo, Col., July 16.—The crossing of electric light and telephone wires Thursday resulted in a fire in the fifth story of the Central Block, an office building at Second and Main streets, causing a loss of about \$50,000 fully insured.

WHAT HAS HAPPENED
IN THIS COUNTYMILTON PRINCIPAL GIVES UP
HIS JOB.

Prof. P. L. Clarke to Leave and Professor A. E. Whitford Will Succeed Him—Other News of the College Town—A Lima Center Man Is Hurt—Other Gossip.

THE GAZETTE AGENCY
W. W. CLARKE, Manager,
Milton, Wis., July 16, 1897.

Prof. P. L. Clarke resigned his position as principal of the public school on Thursday, and at a meeting of the board held on the evening of that day Prof. A. E. Whitford was selected as his successor. The new principal taught at Waupun last year and he has the best wishes of all for success in his new position.

Horace Flint and wife of Linden, Oklahoma, are visiting Milton friends. Mr. Flint resided here before the war, and this is his first visit in 24 years, consequently he finds considerable change in the appearance of the village and a few of his old time acquaintances.

Mr. and Mrs. Hayes of Louisville, Ky., and J. D. Holmes and wife of Janesville, called on Postmaster Morris and wife Wednesday. Mrs. Hayes prior to her marriage was Miss Bertha Snyder.

C. A. Richardson left Tuesday for Toronto, to attend the Epworth League convention. He will visit relatives and friends in Canada and New York before returning to this place.

Arch T. Alexander and Miss Sarah Bodger left for St. Paul today with Mrs. Alexander and daughters. They expect to spend several weeks in that locality.

Miss Clara Stillman will go to Watch Hill, a famous ocean resort of Rhode Island, to spend the summer with relatives, on Monday.

Mrs. George W. Brown and Dayton of Savannah, Georgia, are the guests of Mrs. Brown's father, R. W. Brown, and his daughters.

Isaac J. Wilbur and his mother returned from Iowa Thursday, where they have been visiting Mr. Wilbur's family.

B. Saunders returned Thursday night from New York State, where he has been engaged in Evangelistic labors.

Robert G. Dykeman of Fairfield, visited his Milton relatives this week, making the trip on his wheel.

George Fetherston don't care whether hogs go up or down. It's a girl and was born Thursday.

Mrs. Albert Sears, of Centralia, Washington, was entertained by Mrs. Gray and daughters this week.

Mrs. Thomas Rogers of New London, Conn., is visiting relatives and friends in this vicinity.

Professor F. H. Miller of Milwaukee, called on acquaintances in this village Tuesday.

E. F. Wiegler has gone to Elmer, Iowa, where he will visit his daughter Mrs. Whitman.

Soverhill & Porter shipped a car of tobacco to Germany Wednesday from this station.

Prof. P. L. Clarke and wife entertained Mrs. Mary Barnard of Avoca, this week.

Rev. George R. Chambers and family are enjoying an outing at Clear Lake.

Miss Mame Spaulding is a student in the University summer school at Madison.

Mrs. J. C. Lane of Merrill Park, has been visiting with relatives for several days.

Dr. Borden has sold his two hundred-acre farm in the town of Fulton.

Rev. F. C. Richardson of Jefferson, was a Milton visitor, Tuesday.

Mrs. E. B. Rogers is visiting her son and his wife in Chicago.

Miss Carrie Walbridge of Beloit, was a visitor here this week.

C. D. Davy is operating at McFarland these nights.

Mrs. F. C. Dunn visited Watertown friends this week.

A LIMA CENTER MAN IS HURT
Martin Gould Injured with a Hay Fork—Other News.

Lima Center, July 16.—On Saturday last Martin Gould, while drawing hay, was hurt quite badly by a hay fork. Mr. and Mrs. Amos Gould entertained Mr. and Mrs. Cook of Chicago, last Sunday and Monday. Mr. and Mrs.

IS IT A TRIFLE?

That Common Trouble, Acid Dyspepsia or Sour Stomach.

Now Recognized as a Cause of Serious Disease.

Acid dyspepsia, commonly called heartburn or sour stomach, is a form of indigestion resulting from fermentation of the food. The stomach being too weak to promptly digest it, the food remains until fermentation begins, filling the stomach with gas, and a bitter, sour, burning taste in the mouth is often present. This condition soon becomes chronic and being an every day occurrence is given but little attention. Because dyspepsia is not immediately fatal many people do nothing for the trouble.

Within a recent period a remedy has been discovered prepared solely to cure dyspepsia and stomach troubles. It is known as Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets and is now becoming rapidly used and prescribed as a radical cure for every form of dyspepsia.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets have been placed before the public and are sold by druggists everywhere at 50 cents per package. It is prepared by the Stuart Chemical Co., Marshall, Mich., and while it promptly and effectively restores a vigorous digestion, at the same time is perfectly harmless and will not injure the most delicate stomach, but on the contrary by giving perfect digestion strengthens the stomach, improves the appetite and makes life worth living.

Send for free book on Stomach Diseases.

Orson Truman of Rockford, came here Sunday, for a two weeks' stay with relatives. Mr. Truman will help his brother, William T., in building his new house. Tuesday, Miss Ethel Stetson took the train for Fairwater, Wis., where she will spend a few days. Miss Ida Blunt of Johnstown, spent Tuesday at Dr. Stetson's. H. S. Meyers of Hillsdale, Mich., is visiting at Rev. J. C. Steele's. Rev. S. P. Jackson, pastor of the North church, has gone to his home in Ionia, Mich., for a short visit. Rev. J. R. Godfrey went to Moulton, Iowa, for a two months' stay in that place. Gertrude Davidson came up from Milton Thursday on her wheel to spend the night with her friend Florence Stetson. Mrs. J. S. Stewart and little son of Chicago, is spending a few weeks with her mother, Mrs. James Boyd. Miss Etta Kule is spending a few days with friends in Beloit. Miss Jennie Bowers attended the N. E. A. at Milwaukee last week. Messadames McComb and Masterson visited at Mrs. Howard's at Six Corners, Wednesday. Mrs. Jennie Brockway of Elgin, Ill., visited her brother, William Masterson and family the last of the week. Will Reed of Janesville is helping Mr. Truman on his new house. Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Morton of Tampa, Fla., is here for a month's stay with Mrs. Morton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Wheeler. Aunt Phoebe Jones returned home Tuesday after an absence of six weeks. Royal Bullock of Boulder, Colo., called on Lima friends recently.

TALK OF INCORPORATING

Milton Junction People Bring Up the Subject Again.

Milton Junction people are again talking of incorporating as a village. A call for a meeting has been issued as follows:

"All the qualified electors of Milton Junction and any others interested in the incorporation of this village are requested to meet in P. O. hall Saturday evening, July 17 to discuss the question pro and con. Some prepared with argument on either side, the call is signed by Wm. B. West, J. H. Owen, D. F. Thorpe, C. C. Clarke, W. H. Gates, Calvin Hull.

The limits of the survey made about ten years ago containing a square mile includes John Paul's farm on the west, S. C. Chamber's farm on the north, James Kelly's lot on the east, and C. W. Thiry's farm on the south. Some of the largest property owners are in favor of incorporation and claim the advantage of being able to use taxes to the best possible advantage is one point in favor of the proposed action. Others oppose the move.

HARMON NOW BACK IN JAIL

His Old Enemy Got a New Grip and the Victim Fell

Charles Harmon, the Beloit gentleman who a year ago tried to set the jail stove "on its head" during one of his delirium spells, is again behind the bars for five days charged with drunk and disorderly conduct. In charge of Marshal George Appleby the prisoner arrived in the city yesterday afternoon and on his own request he was taken to jail via the back street route. On entering the bastille Harmon said "things looked natural" and the only thing he regretted was the fact that he was to miss the circus.

Some time ago Harmon stopped drinking, and was a good citizen. He was a member of the Beloit police force, and did not touch a drop of liquor. His old enemy conquered him again at length, however, and he fell from grace.

DIED IN THE WAUPUN PRISON

Clarence Dresser, Who Was Sent From Madison for Two Years.

Clarence Dresser, who was sent to state prison from Madison about two weeks ago, for a term of two years, died Wednesday night. He had been ill nearly all the time he had been in prison, having been taken to the hospital the second day he was in the institution. His body was taken to Madison for burial; his wife, mother and a brother live there. Dresser's body was taken to the home of his mother, 202 North Basset street, where the funeral was held this morning. The physician's certificate accompanying the remains states that his death resulted from enteric fever. Dresser was the young man who was arrested here some time ago, as will be remembered.

NEW COUNTERFEIT BILL OUT

Spurious Ten-Dollar Silver Certificate Has Been Discovered

Chief Hazen of the secret service, has given notice of a new counterfeit ten dollar silver certificate. It is of the series of 1891, check letter D, with the small carmine seal, the portrait of Hendricks and the names of Messrs. Tillman and Morgan as register and treasurer, respectively. The counterfeit is described as apparently a wood cut production very poorly executed, the seal being light pink instead of carmine, the numbering irregular and the printing and engraving bad.

MRS. SCOFIELD VERY SICK

Old Resident Very Ill From Old Age's Infirmities.

Mrs. Belva Scofield, one of Janesville's oldest and most respected residents, is dangerously ill at her home, 104 South Franklin street, her illness being consequent to her age. Mrs. Scofield is now over 80 years old. She came to Janesville when the town was in infancy.

To Cure Constipation Forever.
Take Cascarets Candy Cathartic. 10c or 25c. If C. C. call to cure, druggists refund money.

CHARMS THE PEOPLE
WITH HIS LECTUREWILLIAM HAWLEY SMITH'S
LEARNED TALK.

Speaker Is Both An Entertainer And An Educator, And His Address Was Fascinating—Made a Plea For Better Readers—Impersonations Were Effective.

William Hawley Smith is both an educator and an entertainer. Last night at the high school building he made a powerful plea for genuineness in literature and education, in a manner that while plain, almost homely, was at the same time forceful and fascinating. The great interest of the audience during Mr. Smith's address was apparent, but it was when he turned to impersonations in illustrating his points that his sway became supreme.

He admires James Whitcomb Riley because he is a poet of the common people, the only one in fact who is distinctly American. Riley, he maintained, found poetry in every day surroundings. His dialect is not made to order but flows as easily as would the speech of his characters, and his pen never errs in depicting nature. He attributed to Benj. F. Taylor's writings characteristics somewhat similar. The "Old Fashioned Grandmother" was contrasted with the lurid literature of the present day. The one was shown to be wholesome because of its reality, the other bad because of its falsity. Mr. Smith does not like the wishy-washy Sunday school books, which he says are running mates of their yellow covered brethren, being alike unreal.

Wants Better Readers.

Mr. Smith believes in dialect as often the best means of expression. In conclusion he made a plea for the better readers among the young people. One of the amusing and at the same time realistic features of his address was the calling of the "Fourth Reader class" in which he depicted the types of some half dozen readers of the callow age. The complete indifference of scholars and their sad attempts at expression or more often total lack thereof he attributes largely to the fact that the selections are beyond their understanding. He would place in the hands of such a class matter that would interest and at the same time instruct the child.

Mr. Smith started his lecture with the remark that he proposed to drive a nail or two. It was the general opinion that he drove a good many. He stopped just long enough each time to clinch them on the side of common sense with character impersonations. In this way he brought out the beauty of Riley's "When the Frost is on the Pumpkin," "William Loachman" and "My Philology." Taylor's "Old Fashioned Grandmother," and a dialect sermon once delivered by Rev. John Morehead.

DELAVER INJUNCTION CASE

Judge Fish, of Racine, Dissolves the Decree Yesterday.

In the circuit court at Racine today Judge Fish rendered a decision in the case of Oliver C. Stowell against the village of Delavan, A. E. Smith, president et al. The decision dissolved the injunction. On motion of Attorney Simmons, to continue the injunction until the case could be appealed to the Supreme court and a decision rendered by that tribunal, Judge Fish reserved his decision. The question at issue is whether the village of Delavan shall become a city of fourth class.

NO FLAG FOR DISTRICT NO. 5

Resolution to Buy a Banner Tabled At the Annual School Meeting.

A resolution to buy a flag for the school house was tabled in the School District No. 5, Town of Rock, and much feeling has been aroused by the action. A correspondent writes to The Gazette:

"Such a course would have been rebellion in the sixties. The stars and stripes will be thrown to the breeze in the near future, whether from the school house or not. Will the Grand Army assist? We believe they will be glad to help raise Old Glory."

CUPID'S PLANS CONSUMED.

Peterson-Whetstone.

Francis Leroy Peterson and Miss Marion Alice Whetstone, both of Beloit, were married at Beloit Wednesday evening by Rev. T. T. Creswell, pastor of the First Presbyterian church. Mrs. Fred Whetstone and children, and Miss Clara Shurtliff of this city, attended, and Caterer George Shurtliff served the wedding feast.

Half Rates to Chicago.

Via the Northwestern Line. Excursion tickets will be sold July 21 and 22, limited to July 26, at one fare for the round trip, on account of Unveiling of John A. Logan Monument. Apply to agents Chicago and Northwestern R'y.

Half Rates to Madison.

Via the North-Western Line. Excursion tickets will be sold from stations in Wisconsin July 23 and 24, limited to July 26, and July 29 and 30, limited to August 2, at one fare for the round trip, on account of "Special Days" at Monona Lake Assembly. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

THE TOWN TALES OF A DAY.

This is the day of all the days—A circus in town you know. The head of the firm Must stop his work For a one-day term And tell the clerk That he "guesses he Will not come back To the store today;" For you see, alack, He don't care figs To see the show, but The "kids" will have to go, And so he must, on this day of days Take The CHILDREN To the Circus!

CIRCUS day. THE rain was welcome. GOES without saying—a deaf mute. SOME fish stories carry very little weight.

NINETY cent black raspberries. Sanborn. GREENS raspberries 90 cents a case. Sanborn.

THE slow race horse is a thing of the passed.

THIS is rehearsal night for the Imperial band.

CARL BUCHHOLZ is home from a visit in Chicago.

CHOICEST currants 65 cents a case at Sanborn's.

THE Y. M. C. A. band meets for rehearsal this evening.

HON. Hiram Merrill spent the day in Delavan on business.

GEORGE WIGGIN was here from Evansville to see the circus.

BECAUSE corn is shocked it is not necessarily an electric plant.

CLARENCE ROWE is attending the university summer school at Madison.

GOOSEBERRIES, all you want, 50 cents a case. Excellent quality. Sanborn.

THE enthusiastic cyclist will tell you that wheeling is a round of pleasure.

COL. W. B. BRITTON and wife leave for Asbury Park New Jersey tomorrow morning to spend the summer.

OXFORDS are easy shoes, don't you think so? Our prices on them this week are still easier. Richardson's.

OLIVE Branch Lodge No. 36, Ancient Order United Workmen, meets in semi-monthly session at Liberty hall this evening.

ROCK River encampment No. 3, Independent Order Odd Fellows, meets at Odd Fellows' hall, North Main street, tonight.

WEEKLY meeting of People's Lodge, Independent Order Good Templars, at their hall in Court Street M. E. church block tonight.

ASSIGNEE's sale of the C. O. D. business shop, 13 South Main street, commenced Tuesday, July 13. William Sadler, Assignee.

DR. J. E. Heslop of Port Dover, Canada, is to locate here. He is a relative of Jonathan Ellis of the Janesville Woolen Mills.

SANBORN'S hammocks are all of them from the \$1 kind up to the \$4 ones the very best of quality. They are particularly pretty and nicely made.

Mrs. George Goodrich of White-water, fell from her bicycle, striking on her back and injuring her seriously. She has regained consciousness, but is in a serious condition.

Mrs. DAMES George G. Paris, E. F. Kelly, J. H. Huntress, Lee Wilcox, C. Hendricks, George N. Hubbard and McFarland enjoyed a picnic in Forest Park yesterday.

JOSEPH MELVILLE fell from the loft while helping a farmer unload hay at E. P. Doty's barn last night, and was painfully hurt. The fire patrol took him to Oak Lawn, where Drs. Pember and Field attended him.

THE ladies of W. H. Sargent Woman's Relief Corps No. 1, perpetrated a pleasant birthday surprise on Mrs. Andrew Gibson at her home, 135 Madison street, yesterday afternoon, and presented her with a handsome spoon as a souvenir.

SANBORN never advises housekeepers wrongly, when he tells you it's time to preserve fruit you can believe he knows what he is talking about. Gooseberries are 50 cents a case at present, the stock is choice and it's the best time to can them.

THE Golf club's picnic luncheon yesterday was very enjoyable. Those who took part were: Messrs. and Mesdames—C. O. MacLean, J. P. Baker, Charles E. Pierce, C. N. Vankirk, C. P. McLean, P. J. Mount, Charles L. Fidelity. Misses—Genevieve Rich, E. L. Williams, Belle Carpenter, Milwaukee. Messrs—H. H. McKinney, Fred Baker, Harry Kirkland.

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THE BIG STORE 20, 22, 24, 26, S. MAIN ST.
JANESVILLE, WIS.
WE KEEP THE QUALITY UP

More Hints..

There May be Something in the Line That Will Interest You.....

AID 14 Linen Batiste, fine, beautiful quality, 30 inches wide. Good value at 25c, summer bargain price, 17c. Makes a cool, serviceable dress. Have about 300 yards.

AID 15 White Mosquito Net. Not a large lot, only about 60 pieces left. It is slightly imperfect. Summer bargain price 30c for 8 yard piece.

AID 16 Shirt Waists. The table full of high grade waists that were 75c to \$1.50, that we offer at 48c attracting attention. Large variety of styles and materials.

AID 17 Silk Waists. New lot just received. Black brocades at \$4.50 and \$6.50. Lovely changeable silks at \$6.50. Wask silk waists at \$2.50.

AID 18 Dimity. Fine French, neat, small effects, made to sell at 25c

THE OVERFLOW OF LOCAL NEWS.

THEY FIGHT THE CUT RATE

Milwaukee Insurance Men Do Not Like the Reduction.

A committee of the Milwaukee board of fire underwriters, conferred in Chicago with the governing committee of the western union of fire insurance companies with reference to the reduction of 33 to 50 per cent ordered by it. The Milwaukee board has decided to take a stand against the reduction, and the committee will ask the Chicago committee to rescind the order, which will probably be done because the influence of the Milwaukee board, under the law giving it the sole authority for fixing rates, is paramount.

As it is, matters will probably remain in statu quo with a reduction in insurance rates of 20 per cent, already in force. The reduction would hit about all the agents, who would lose from one third to one-half of their commissions, and as long as it is within their power to prevent this they will do so. Had the reduction ordered from Chicago been made, the Milwaukee companies, the Northwestern National Mechanics and the Concordia, against which the order for the reduction was mainly directed, would have lowered the rates on every class of risk, and the sufferers would have been the agents and the union companies. It is expected that the order will be revoked, and the decision will become known today.

The Physiology of the Liver.

The liver is the largest secreting organ in the human body, and the bile which it secretes is more liable to vitiation and misdirection from its proper channels than any other of the animal fluids. Luckily for the bilious, however, there is an unfailing source of relief from liver complaint, namely Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, a medicine which for about half a century has been achieving thorough cures of all the above mentioned ailments, ever and age, dyspepsia, bowel complaints, rheumatic and kidney affection, and disorders involving loss of nervous vigor. It is, moreover, a preventive of malarial disease, and affords protection to thousands of persons residing in districts of country where that dire scourge is prevalent. As a remedy adapted to the medicinal requirements of families, it is supremely desirable, and as a means of fortifying a debilitated system, it is thoroughly to be depended upon.

The Beautiful Dells of Wisconsin—Grand Excursion.

On Tuesday, August 3, at 7:30 a. m. a special train will leave Janesville on the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Ry. for Kibbourn City, arriving there at 10:55 a. m. Thence by steamer through the Dells of the Wisconsin river for nine miles of weird, romantic scenery with stops at Witch's Gulch and Cold Water Canon. Leave Kibbourn returning at 6:30 p. m. arriving home at 10:30 p. m. Round trip rate \$2. No reduction for children as \$2 is extremely low for this trip.

There is a time for everything; and the time to attend to a cold is when it starts. Don't wait till you have consumption, but prevent it by using One Minute Cough Cure, the great remedy for coughs, colds, croup, bronchitis and all throat and lung troubles. C. D. Stevens.

Opportunity For Home-Seekers.
There are excellent opportunities along the line of the Chicago & Northwestern R'y in Western Minnesota and South Dakota for those who are desirous of obtaining first class lands upon most favorable terms for general agricultural purposes, as well as stock raising and dairying. For particulars and landseekers' rates, apply to agents of the Northwestern line.

Don't Tobacco Spit and Smoke Your Life Away.
If you want to quit tobacco using easily and forever, be made well, strong, magnetic, and full of new life and vigor, take No-To-Bac, the wonder-worker, that makes weak men strong. Many gain ten pounds in ten days. Over 400,000 cured. Buy No-To-Bac of your druggist, under guarantee to cure, 50c or \$1.00. Booklet and sample mailed free. Ad. Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or New York.

Monona Lake Assembly Excursion.
For the above event the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway will sell excursion tickets at a fare and a third for the round trip, from July 19 to 30 inclusive, good for return until and including July 31.

John Griffin of Janesville, Ohio, says: "I never lived a day for thirty years without suffering agony, until a box of De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve cured my piles." For piles and rectal troubles, cuts, bruises, sprains, eczema and all skin troubles De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve is unequalled.

Unveiling Logan Monument at Chicago.
The Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway, will sell excursion tickets to Chicago, at half fare, on July 21, and 22, good for return until and including July 26th, on account of the unveiling of John A. Logan monument.

Everybody Says So.
Cascarets Candy Cathartic, the most wonderful medical discovery of the age, pleasant and refreshing to the taste, acts gently and positively on kidneys, liver and bowels, cleansing the entire system, dispels colds, cure headache, fever, habitual constipation and biliousness. Please buy and try a box of C. C. C. to-day; 10, 25, 50 cents. Sold and guaranteed to cure by all druggists.

Reduced Rates to Dixon.
Via the North-Western Line from stations within 200 miles radius, on account of the Rock River Assembly, to be held at Dixon, July 27-August 13. For dates of sales, etc., apply to agents Chicago & Northwestern R'y.

Burning, itching skin diseases instantly relieved by De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve, unequalled for cuts, bruises, burns. It heals without leaving a scar. C. D. Stevens.

NO CHANGE IN LEAF MARKET

But Very Little Business is Being Done These Days.

There is no apparent change in local tobacco market conditions as compared with those of the past few weeks. An occasional sale now and then serves to break the monotony of a quiet market. More business could be done if packers would accept prices that prevailed six months ago, but this they are not disposed to do, preferring to hold their goods for the good prices that are bound to prevail when business picks up in the fall.

Among the sales reported are 107 cases of 96 fillers sold by Samuel Grundy and 50 cases of old sold by A. L. Fisher. The growing tobacco continues to make rapid strides toward maturity, and has made an especially sound and vigorous growth, the earliest of which will be ready to top in about two weeks. A severe wind storm passed over the northern part of this country Friday evening, but the tobacco was too small to receive much damage. A few sheds are reported to have been damaged somewhat.

Between Seed Time and Harvest
Is a good opportunity to enquire about farming lands in South Dakota, only one day's ride from Chicago. Bountiful crops of wheat, corn, barley and flax reward the tiller of the soil. As a stock and dairy country South Dakota leads all the world. First class farm lands with nearby markets can now be bought for from \$10, \$12, \$15, and upwards, per acre, and this is the time to invest. For further particulars write to George H. Heafford, General Passenger Agent, Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway, Old Colony Building, Chicago, Ill.

"I crave but One Minute," said the public speaker in a husky voice; and then he took a dose of One Minute Cough Cure, and proceeded with his oratory. One Minute Cough Cure is unequalled for throat and lung troubles. C. D. Stevens.

Excursion Rates to Lake Kegonsa.

The Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway Co., will sell round trip excursion tickets to Lake Kegonsa, Wisconsin at \$1.25 from May 15 daily to September 30 limited to 30 days. This lake is situated in one of the most delightful places in the state. The lake is four miles long and three miles wide, possessing a number of pretty bays, spring water, bathing and fishing. All trains stop at the lake.

Wants to Honor Lincoln.
Washington, July 16.—Congressman Lorimer has introduced in the house a bill appropriating \$500,000 to purchase and erect in Washington a suitable monument to the memory of Abraham Lincoln.

Serious Floods in Quebec.
Montreal, July 16.—Floods caused by the heavy rain of the past few days have done great damage in the southern part of Quebec. Many people are homeless, and much damage has been done to early crops.

Opening of Winona Assembly.
Winona Park, Ind., July 16.—The Winona assembly opened Thursday with an immense attendance. James Whitcomb Riley gave one of his inimitable entertainments.

Home Seekers' Excursion
Tickets will be on sale by the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway on July 6 and 20, at half fare plus \$2, to western, northwestern, southern, and southwestern states, limited to twenty-one days for return passage.

Vim, vigor and victory—these are the characteristics of De Witt's Little Early Risers, the famous little pills for constipation, biliousness and all stomach and liver troubles.

It heals everything except a broken heart, may be said of De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve. Piles and rectal diseases, cuts, burns, bruises, tetter, eczema and all skin troubles may be cured by it quickly and permanently. C. D. Stevens.

Excursion Tickets to Madison.
Via the Northwestern Line will be sold at reduced rates July 19 to 30, inclusive limited to July 31 on account of Monona Lake Assembly. Apply to agents Chicago & Northwestern R'y.

Don't nauseate your stomach with tea and bitter herbs, but regulate your liver and sick headache by using these famous little pills known as De Witt's Little Early Risers. C. D. Stevens.

If the Baby is Cutting Teeth
Be sure and use that old and well tried remedy Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for children teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for diarrhoea. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

International Convention Epworth League, at Toronto, Canada.

For the above event the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway will sell excursion tickets at half fare July 13, 14 and 15. Tickets may be extended for return passage until August 12.

"They don't make much fuss about it." We are speaking of De Witt's Little Early Risers, the famous little pills for constipation, biliousness, and all stomach and liver troubles. They never gripe. C. D. Stevens.

Educate Your Bowels With Cascarets. Candy Cathartic, cure constipation forever. 10c. If C. C. C. fail, druggists refund money.

JANESVILLE MARKET PRICES.

Quotations On Grain And Produce are Reported For The Gazette.

The following figures show the range of prices in the local market.
Flour—Good to best Patent, \$1.05 to \$1.15 per sack.
Wheat—Fair to best quality 35 @ 75c
BEANS—75c @ \$1.00 per bushel.
RYE—In request at 34 @ 36; per 63 lbs.
BARLEY—Ranges at 20c @ 25c according to quality.
COAN—Shelled 19 @ 21c; ear per 75 lbs. 19 @ 21c.
OATS—white, 10c @ 15c.
CLOVER SEED—\$3.75 @ \$4.25 per bushel.
TIMOTHY SEED—90c @ \$1.10 per bushel.
HAY—Per ton, \$6.50 @ \$7.00.
STRAW—\$4.00 @ \$5.00 per ton.
MEAL—50c per 100 lbs. \$9.00 per ton.
FEED—50c per 100 lbs. \$10.00 per ton.
SHAY—45c per 100 lbs; \$8.00 per ton.
WINDMILLS—50c per 100, \$9.00 per ton.
POSSUMS—30c @ 35c per doz. New 70 @ 75c
BUTTER—11c @ 12c.
EGGS—Green, 5c @ 6c; dry, 7c @ 9c.
PEAS—Range at 40c @ \$1 each.
* 100 @ 75c per dozen.
POULTRY—Chickens, 7 @ 8.
DUCK—14 @ 15; for washed; 10 @ 15; for un washed.
LIVE STOCK—Cattle \$9.00 @ \$10.00 per 100 lbs., Hogs, \$2.30 @ \$3.10 per 100 lbs.

Chicago Board of Trade.
Chicago, July 15.—The following table shows the range of quotations on the Chicago board of trade today:

—Closing—				
Articles.	High.	Low.	July 15.	July 14.
Wheat—				
July ..	.74	.72 1/2	.74	.72 1/2
Sept ..	.68 1/2	.67 1/4	.68 1/2	.67
Dec ..	.69 3/4	.69	.69 3/4	.69 3/4
Corn—				
July ..	.25 1/2	.25 1/4	.25 1/2	.25 1/4
Sept ..	.26 1/2	.26 1/4	.26 1/2	.26 1/4
Dec ..	.27 1/2	.27 1/4	.27 1/2	.27 1/4
Oats—				
July ..	.17 1/2	.17 1/4	.17 1/2	.17
Sept ..	.18 1/2	.18 1/4	.18 1/2	.18 1/4
May ..	.20 1/2	.20 1/4	.20 1/2	.20 1/4
Pork—				
July ..	7.52 1/2	7.45	7.52 1/2	7.45
Sept ..	7.52 1/2	7.45	7.52 1/2	7.45
Lard—				
Sept ..	3.97 1/2	3.90	3.97 1/2	3.90
Oct ..	4.07 1/2	3.95	3.97 1/2	3.95
Dec ..	4.05	4.00	4.05	4.00
Short Ribs—				
July ..	4.25	4.20	4.25	4.20
Sept ..	4.35	4.30	4.32 1/2	4.27 1/2
Oct ..	4.37 1/2	4.32 1/2	4.35	4.30

THE PROGRAM FOR TONIGHT.

CIRCUS.
IMPERIAL band.
GOOD Templars.
Y. M. C. A. band.
OLIVE Branch Lodge A. O. U. W.
Rock River Encampment, No. 3.

BACKACHE

makes the young feel old, and the old feel that life is not worth the living. It's a danger signal of Kidney Disease—the unerring evidence of weak, inactive and sore kidneys. Any person cured of Kidney weakness will tell you that when the back ceased to ache, all troubles ended. Neither liniments, nor plasters, nor electricity can cure it. The seat of the trouble is not in the skin, flesh or muscles. It's in the kidneys.

It can be CURED

I have suffered for several years with chronic kidney troubles and a greater part of the time have been afflicted with rheumatism also. In fact, until I got a box of Dr. Hobbs' Spargus Kidney Pills from the drug store of John Robinson, a couple of weeks ago. I have not been free from pain in many years. I am now glad to say my rheumatism has left me, and that my old kidney trouble seems to have vanished, and all owing to the merits of your wonderful pills. M. BRUNNER, New Franken, Wis.

HOBBS' SPARGUS KIDNEY PILLS.

HOBBS REMEDY CO., PROPRIETORS, CHICAGO. Dr. Hobbs' Pills For Sale in JANESVILLE, WIS., by C. D. STEVENS, Pharmacist, Cor. Main and Milwaukee Sts., Janesville, Wis.

FOR SALE.

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—8 room house and barn in fine repair. Enquire at Sanborn's store.

MONEY TO LOAN.

MONEY to loan by D. Conger.

WANTED.

WANTED—Solicitors. No delivering, no collecting; position permanent; pay weekly state age. Glen Brothers, Rochester, N. Y.

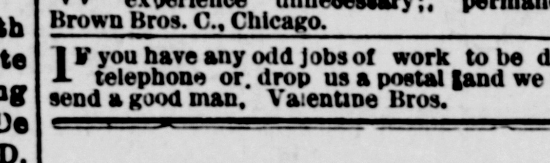
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NEGLECT IS SUICIDE.

Plain Words From Mrs. Pinkham, Corroborated by Mrs. Charles Dunmore, That Ought to Bring Suffering Women to Their Senses.

If you were drowning and friendly hands shoved a plank to you, and you refused it, you would be committing suicide! Yet that is precisely what women are doing if they go about their homes almost dead with misery, yet refuse to grasp the kindly hand held out to them!

It is suicidal to go day after day with that dull, constant pain in the region of the womb and that bloating heat and tenderness of the abdomen, which make the weight of your clothes an almost intolerable burden to you. It is not natural to suffer so in merely emptying the bladder. Does not that special form of suffering tell you that there is inflammation somewhere?

Shall I tell you what it is?

It is inflammation of the womb!

If it goes on, polypus, or tumor, or cancer will set in. Commence the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Thousands of women in this condition have been cured by it. Keep your bowels open with Mrs. Pinkham's Liver Pills, and if you want further advice, write to Mrs. Pinkham at Lynn, Mass., stating freely all your symptoms—she stands ready and willing to give you the very best advice. She has given the helping hand to thousands suffering just like yourself, many of whom lived miles away from a physician. Her marvelous Vegetable Compound has cured many thousands of women. It can be found at any respectable drug store.

Mrs. CHARLES DUNMORE, 102 Fremont St., Winter Hill, Somerville, Mass., says: "I was in pain day and night; my doctor did not seem to help me. I could not seem to find any relief until I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I had inflammation of the womb, a bearing-down pain, and the whites very badly. The pain was so intense that I could not sleep at night. I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for eight months and am now all right. Before that I took morphine pills for my pain; that was a great mistake, for the relief was only momentary and the effect vile. I am so thankful to be relieved of my sufferings, for the pains I had were something terrible. I am, indeed, very grateful for the good Mrs. Pinkham's remedies have done me."

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Stiffs, that were \$2.50, are now... 1.75
Fedoras, all colors, \$2.50, are now... 1.75
Fedoras, black, \$3.00, are now... 2.00
Pasha, black and brown, were \$2.75, are now... 2.00
Pasha, black, \$1.75, are now... 1.25
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MUNICIPAL COURT, ROCK COUNTY.

The City of Janesville, vs. Arnold Somlyo To Arnold Somlyo:

You are hereby notified that a warrant of attachment has been issued against you, and your property attached to satisfy the debt and of the City of Janesville, amounting to one hundred and sixty dollars. Now unless you shall appear before M. M. Phelps, Municipal Judge for Rock County, Wisconsin, at the municipal court room in the city of Janesville, in said county, on the 20th day of July, 1897, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, judgment will be rendered against you and your property sold to pay the debt.

Dated this 1st day of July, A. D. 1897.

City of Janesville, Plaintiff, thj13dw

H. McElroy, Attorney.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS—STATE OF WISCONSIN—County Court for Rock County In Probate.

Notice is hereby given that at the February term of the County Court to be held in and for said county at the Court House, in the City of Janesville, in said county, on the first Tuesday of February, A. D. 1898, being February 2nd, 1898, at 9 o'clock a. m., the following matter will be heard, considered and adjusted:

All claims against Abby A. Corwin, late of the city of Janesville, in said county, deceased. All such claims must be presented for allowance to said court, at the court house, in the city of Janesville, in said county, on or before the 1st day of February, A. D. 1898, or be barred.—Dated July 6th, 1897.

By the Court, J. W. SALE, County Judge.

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STATE OF WISCONSIN, COUNTY COURT FOR Rock County, In Probate.

Notice is hereby given that at a regular term of the County Court to be held in and for said county at the Court House, in the City of Janesville, in said county, on the first Tuesday of January, A. D. 1898, being Jan. 4th, 1898, at 9 o'clock a. m., the following matter will be heard, considered and adjusted:

The application of Ensign H. Ransom for the adjustment and allowance of his account as executor of the last will and testament of Miranda S. Lloyd, late of the city of Janesville, in said county, deceased, and for the assignment of the residue of said estate to such other persons as by law and said will and testament entitled thereto.—Dated June 24, 1897.

By the Court, J. W. SALE, County Judge.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS—STATE OF WISCONSIN—County Court for Rock County In Probate.

Notice is hereby given that at a regular term of the County Court to be held in and for said county at the Court House, in the City of Janesville, in said county, on the first Tuesday of January, A. D. 1898, being Jan. 4th, 1898, at 9 o'clock a. m., the following matter will be heard and considered:

The application of Polly A. Wetmore for the appointment of an administrator of the estate of John We more, late of the city of Janesville, in said county, deceased. Dated, June 18, 1897.

By the Court, J. W. SALE, County Judge.

Fethers, Jeffris, Field and Moul, attorneys for petitioner. monj18d3w

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THIS DAY IN HISTORY

1601—Pierre LeMouine, Sieur d'Herberville, founder of Louisiana, born in Montreal; died 1706.
1723—Sir Joshua Reynolds, the celebrated English portrait painter, born at Plympton, Devonshire; died in London, 1792.
1850—Marchioness Margaret Fuller Ossoli, with her husband and child, drowned off Fire Island beach, New York; born 1810.
1857—Pierre Jean de Béranger, French poet, died.
1882—Mrs. Abraham Lincoln died, aged 67.
1891—General Benjamin Franklin Kelley, a Federal veteran, noted for his exciting campaigns in West Virginia and Maryland, died at Oakland, Md.; born in New Hampshire, 1807.
1893—General Edward Jardine, a distinguished Union veteran, died in New York city; born 1828. Rear Admiral Earl English, U. S. A., retired, died in Washington; born 1828.
1895—Stambuloff, ex-premier of Bulgaria and a power in the disturbed politics of that kingdom, assassinated at Sofia; born 1856.
1896—Ex-Governor William E. Russell of Massachusetts died near Quebec; born 1857.
William Hamilton Gibson, artist and author, died in Washington, Conn.

BROAD TIRES—GOOD ROADS.

Nobody questions the value of wide tires in packing and rolling country roads, but many have thought that wide tires would pull harder than narrow tires. Recent tests that prove wide tires to have everything in their favor are therefore of great importance to Rock county. The tests were made on macadam, gravel, and dirt roads in all conditions. They were in charge of the Missouri Agricultural station, and extended over a period of a year. The load hauled was in all cases the same, and the draft was most carefully determined by means of a self-recording dynamometer.

On macadam street, hard and smooth as an average of all tests, the difference of draft was in favor of the 6-inch tire, and the same draft required to haul a ton load with narrow tires over this street hauled more than a ton and a quarter with the broad tires. On gravel roads the results show that the draft required to haul 2,000 pounds with narrow tires hauled 2,610 pounds on the broad tires. On dirt roads, dry and hard and free from ruts, the broad tires pulled more than one third lighter, since 2,766 pounds could be hauled on the broad tires with the same effort required to haul the 2,000 pounds on the narrow tires. On a dirt road cut into ruts by the narrow tires in the ordinary travel, with hard surface, the results are in favor of the broad tire, after the second run, even when the broad wheels are run over the ruts made by the narrow tires. On mud roads, spongy on the surface and soft underneath, the broad tires drew one-half lighter than the narrow tires. Three thousand and sixty pounds on the broad tires pulled as light as two thousand pounds on the narrow.

The beneficial effect of the wide tire on dirt roads is strikingly shown in some recent tests at the station. A clay road, badly cut into ruts by the narrow tires, was selected for the test as presenting conditions least favorable to the broad tire. A number of tests of the draft of the narrow tire were made in these open ruts, and immediately followed by the broad tires running in the same ruts. The first run of the broad tire over the narrow tire ruts was accompanied by an increased draft; the second by a draft materially less than the original narrow tire; the third by a still greater decline, and in the fourth trip the rut was practically obliterated and filled. The narrow tires were then run over the same road, with the results that the draft was lighter than before the broad tires had been used. Alternating the broad and narrow tires on this road for a number of times resulted in a gradually-decreased draft. In other words, the broad tires were improving the road surface to such an extent when run but half the time as to make the draft considerably less for all vehicles. It is clearly demonstrated that if even half the wagons used on dirt roads had broad tires the results would be beneficial in draft and enormously beneficial in bettering the condition of the roads.

In another trial, when a clay road was so badly cut into ruts as to be almost impassable for light vehicles and pleasure carriages, after running the six-inch tires over this road twelve times the ruts were completely filled, and a first class road made. A careful record of the drafts show that after the first run with the broad tires the draft was materially less than with the narrow tires immediately before. Thus the road would have been gradu-

ally improved by the use of broad tires at the same time that the farmer would have been able to transport his products over the road with greatly reduced draft.

MR. BRYAN'S TALK OF FAILURE
William J. Bryan's fulmination about the failure of the republican party to "restore prosperity," furnished fresh evidence of the insincerity and demagoguery of the late presidential candidate. The declaration comes less than four months after the inauguration of Mr. Bryan's successful rival and before the republican party has been able to place a single line of legislation upon the statute books, the delay in that legislation being due to the control of the senate by Mr. Bryan's followers. Yet he, knowing that fact, in a document deliberately prepared for political effect, talks glibly of the "failure" of something which does not yet exist and whose lack of existence is due to the obstacles which his own followers have thrown in its way. Certainly the country is to be congratulated upon escaping the danger of having placed at its head a man capable of descending to such political pettifoggery as this.

President Stevens of the American Protective Association of Missouri made a sensation when he declared in his annual address that politicians were using unfair means against the order. "The impression has gone out," he said, "that the order is only part of the republican party, and this has much to hurt it, as in the state the A. P. A. is largely democratic." Missouri democrats now wish that Judge Stevens had kept still.

Some congressmen were crash suits and one wore a bicycle suit at the funeral of a senator in Washington last week. According to current theatrical representatives everybody wore bath robes at Caesar's funeral and this may have furnished a precedent.

The Younger brothers doubtless know enough by this time to keep out of mischief. But so many novel reading youths around the country look on them as heroes that they furnish a better moral lesson behind the bars than anywhere else.

Considering that the republican party is in a minority in the senate it has accomplished wonders in passing a tariff bill within four months after the inauguration of President McKinley.

The populists seem to be tired of a "fusion" in which they furnish the votes and the democrats get the offices and they therefore propose to stand alone in the future.

The only point that seems perfectly clear is that for the second time in eight months Mr. La Follette has been given something he didn't want.

A Familiar Subject.
Wife (after returning from church)—You should have been in church this morning. We had a beautiful sermon. Husband—I'll bet you can't repeat the text.

Wife—Yes, I can. It was the Tenth verse of the Sixteenth chapter of Ezekiel—"I girded thee about with fine linen and I covered thee with silk." Husband—Huh! It is no wonder you remember it.—Harlem Life.

Her Great Modesty.
Bosworth—Mrs. Darnley is a woman who seems to have good sense. At that affair the other night she and I were talking about the women who were in low-necked dresses. She said she thought it was one of the most immodest fads that had ever been taken up.

Wadleigh—Yes; I've been told that she has a neck like the business side of a washboard.—Cleveland Leader.

What He Missed.
His arm 'round her waist, as together they roved,
He fondly her smiling lips kissed,
Said he: "Sweet, you're the only girl ever I loved!"
Said she: "Then what fun you have missed!"
—N. Y. World.

HAD ON HER BATHING SUIT.



Tom—I saw Marie down the beach just now.
Maud—Was she posing?
Tom—No. Exposing.—N. Y. Herald.
Men and Teakettles.
It is only when filled with water, they say.
That a teakettle sings, but, oh! Poor, innocent man, doesn't act on that plan.
For he's not a teakettle, you know.
—L. A. W. Bulletin.
Educate Your Bowels With Cascarets.
Candy cathartics, cure constipation forever. 10c. If C. C. fail, druggists refund money.

THE CROP LOOKS VERY FINE

Leaf Fields Give Promise of a Splendid Yield This Year.

Two weeks of extreme hot weather culminated on the 10th and 11th with heavy rains, and since then the temperature has been cooler and much more favorable to a satisfactory growth of the tobacco fields, says the Edgerton Reporter. During the hot spell the plants had a tendency to shoot up rapidly towards a bud, but later the growth has been more stocky giving a breadth of leaf most desired. The soil was thoroughly impregnated with moisture and circumstances that promote slower maturing and a good, strong healthy growth seems now almost certain. The late storms were quite severe in some sections doing slight damage in breaking down of plants, washing uneven fields and prostrating a few sheds. Small patches of hail fell without doing much permanent damage, as most fields have not reached a size where hail will leave lasting marks. Growers have already commenced to figure upon the increased shed room that will be required to care for the large increase that has been planted and very soon must be housed. The prospects for the crop continue very encouraging.

Market is Quiet
Aside from a little sampling and repacking, there is nothing doing about the warehouses that bears evidence of any business transactions that are deserving of mention. Buyers do not disclose any knowledge of movement in cured leaf of recent origin.

The weather of the week, with cooler temperature, has been especially favorable to the growing crop. While it has not advanced as rapidly as during the hot weather, a stronger, heavier growth has been promoted that is more satisfactory. All reports agree that the new crop is looking splendid in every section.

The shipments out of storage from this station reached but 200 acres to all points for the week. Since last report about 700 cases of cigar leaf were exported from New York.

NINETY cents a case for Gregg black raspberries at Sanborn's.

FIFTY cases of Gregg black raspberries just received at Sanborn's. 90 cents a case.

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NO CONSUMPTIVE WILL DIE
SO LONG AS HE CAN DIGEST AND ASSIMILATE FOOD.

All physicians admit this. Yet here the difficulty begins. How can we build up the consumptive's body as fast as the disease tears it down? Let us consider.

Cough mixture must be avoided because they frequently contain opiates which arrest the digestion. Their only effect on the cough is by stupefying the nerves. Let them alone.

All foods that are hard to digest must be avoided, especially fats and oils. Only those foods that are easily digested and assimilated should be eaten. Foods not thus accepted by nature do no good; they do harm. Not what is merely eaten but what is digested and assimilated gives flesh and strength.

Consumption is starvation, slow or rapid, as may be. The first symptom is, not necessarily a cough, but a tendency to lose flesh, to grow thin. Stop this tendency now. Don't wait for obvious lung trouble. That's only a later development—only a minor point.

Stop the wasting and you master the disease, even though it may have made some slight inroads already. Increase the flesh and the danger is past.

What is needed is an especially-prepared food, a nutriment in itself and a digester of other foods.

Such an article is the Shaker Digestive Cordial, made by the Shaker Community, of Mt. Lebanon, N. Y. It creates a natural appetite and insures the digestion of what is eaten with it. It overcomes the wasting which is fatal in the consumptive process.

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French Balbriggan,
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LIGHT---FIRM---COOL

This has been our regular dollar line. This year we are able to cut the price squarely in two. It will pay you to lay in two or three extra suits.

Our prices are right on stylish clothing, made by skilled Union tailors.

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Little Lambs Now Gamboing on the Green
feeding upon shady hillside rich with clover, and drinking from the sparkling brook, you will find this week in our select stock in tender, sweet spring lamb fit for the Queen's table. Our meats are from the choicest stock that we can select, and cuts from our delicious beef, veal, lamb, mutton or pork you can't beat for quality or price.

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CITY COAL YARD.

We are still in the Coal and Wood business and are now ready to take orders for the best grades of Hard and Soft Coal, to be delivered when wanted. Please call and see us before placing your order. Satisfaction guaranteed.

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NOLAN BROS..

Pure Leaf Lard, 4 lbs.....25c
Big double loaf Bread..... 5c
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We are selling great quantities of that famous Northern Dairy Butter. Its qualities are always the same; its flavor superb; its color always uniform; and, once tried, always used. We receive it twice each week. Try a sample pound.

NOLAN BROS.
Phone 172.

Oxford Sale Extraordinary

For
One Week.

One of the greatest bargains--100 pair front elastic 10c toes
Combination colors, blacks, olives, few chocolates, and all of them
good sizes, from 3 1-2 to 6. Always sold at \$3.50. Next week only
\$1.50.

Over 1000 pair of Oxfords of all kinds, reduced to about cost for
the week. In fact, every Oxford in the house will be sold at ex-
tremely low prices. Stock up on cool footwear. \$1.50 will buy you
a better shoe than you ever possessed at the price.

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No old stock. - - - All late patterns.
Richardson's high class goods.

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FREE SHINES WITH ALL SHOES BOUGHT OF US.

BIG SHOW IS HERE AND SO ARE CROWDS

RINGLINGS DREW A RECORD BREAKING AUDIENCE.

Wisconsin's Circus Greeted By Between Eleven and Twelve Thousand People—Parade One of the Best Ever Seen Here, And the Performance Unusually Good

Ringling Brothers' big show—Wisconsin's own circus—is in town, and so are ten or twelve thousand people who want to see the show that is carrying the fame of the Badger state to every nook and corner of Uncle Sam's domain.

The show is one that the state may well be proud of. It is bigger and better than ever, and there are no bad features about it. From a small beginning, the brothers from Baraboo have come to own the biggest and best equipped amusement enterprise in the world.

All precautions are taken, and all expense is met in order to insure the safety and comfort of the people. The big tent is thoroughly waterproof; the management refuse to allow hawkers and fakirs to gull the people; thieves and "crooks" are "drummed out of camp" as fast as they are found; and in fact, nothing is left undone that will tend to elevate the show, and perpetuate the reputation of the management for a show of unusually large scope and completeness.

Detectives Watch Crowds.

All circuses are followed about by thieves and crooks, and all the policemen in the world could not prevent them from doing so. Ringling Bros., however, have a corps of Pinkerton detectives on the payroll, in charge of Charles F. Ryan, a well known and experienced detective. There are eight men in the service, and all of them know all the prominent "crooks" by sight. These officers work with the local police when a stand is reached, and watch out for pickpockets and sneaks while the show is en route, etc.

So much for the big show and its management.

The show arrived on the C. & N. W. road, in three sections. The first section came in at 5:15 o'clock this morning; the second at 6:15 and the third at 6:45 o'clock. Nearly a thousand people saw the show unloaded, and marveled at the wonderful business system of the show people. The cars were unloaded with dispatch. Every man and horse seemed to have just a certain thing to do and they did it at the very instant it should be done. The sixty five cars that compose the train were quickly emptied and the march to the fair grounds began.

Fifteen Tents in Use.

Within an hour after the show came in everything had been transported to the grounds and in almost less time than it takes to tell it, there had arisen a village of white tents numbering fifteen and covering acres of ground. The parade, which was really the first glimpse the public had of the show, left the grounds at 10 o'clock and followed a route comprising the principal streets of the city. The street parade itself is entirely novel and original. The band instead of riding in a chariot, were mounted upon snow white horses and played as they rode. The Derby day section illustrating the private turnouts of the English nobility presented some very fine equipages.

The elephant herd numbers twenty five big and little elephants, and some of the big ones are monsters in size. There was a separate children's parade with its own little animal dens, a series of tableaux wagons, illustrating the legends of Mother Goose, the adventures of the Brownies and other things dear to the childish heart. The bodies of uniformed men, representing the various standing armies of the world, were also of a pleasing and educational character. The menagerie dens are the brightest and handsomest that have ever been seen here. The parade as a whole was a brilliant circus pageant.

Gave a Fine Show

If the parade was satisfactory, the performance in the huge canvas amphitheater in the afternoon was even more so. There isn't a dull minute in the programme, and each succeeding act appears even more interesting than its predecessor. Of bareback riders there are William Demott, Senor Domingo, the champion of Mexico; Cecil Lowande, the Parisian favorite; William Cook, the champion of England, and Daniel Leon, the famous trick rider. Elena Ryland and Julia Lowande, principal bareback riders, and Lizzie Rooney are highest in rank amongst the lady riders of the world, except Rose Dockrill, who ranks supreme. Alvo, Boyce and Zellar, an aerial bar trio of the highest order of merit.

William Irwin and Minnie Fisher are the best trapezists ever seen here, and Mlle. Irwin in her sensational flight across the amphitheater, suspended by her teeth and spinning like a top, is a novelty worth seeing. Spader Johnson's clown band is the funniest thing in the big show. The three contortionists, the troupe of twelve Japanese acrobats and specialists and Jessie Leon, a petite and pretty high wire artist, are all worth mention. The Ringling circus, as it was presented this afternoon, and as it will be given again this evening, is unquestionably superior to anything in the circus line ever seen in this city.

An Immense Crowd Present.

Let it never be said again that Janesville is not a good "show town."

Between eleven and twelve thousand

and people attended the performance this afternoon and the big tent—covering thirteen acres—was crowded.

It was a pretty sight. In front and stretching away on each side of the ticket wagon, and the main entrance was the immense crowd. The dressees of the ladies were of all colors of the rainbow. The mass of humanity surged backwards and forwards and the silver poured into the ticket wagon in a stream. Every available space within the big canvas was filled and a great crowd surged about through the animal tents. Opinions differed as to whether or not the show drew a larger crowd than Buffalo Bill had, but the general opinion was that the assemblage was larger than the one which greeted the "rough riders."

The management was much pleased with the turnout, and said the patronage accorded them was as large as at any town yet visited.

Gossip About the Show.

"CROOKS" were scarce.

GEORGE GRAY plays in the band.

THE horses were an unusually fine lot.

THE show goes into Michigan next week.

ONE hundred people came from Edgerton.

CAPTAIN J. B. La Grange painted the wagons.

"DELAVER" Alexander has charge of the horses.

THE "Cavalry Band" was an exceptionally good one.

SEVERAL minor accidents happened during the parade.

THE local police officers all knew Chief Detective Ryan.

MANY people said the parade was the best they had ever saw.

THE head horseholder of the show used to work for E. C. Lloyd.

UP to noon not a single arrest had been made, and the police say this fact is remarkable.

PRESS Agent Rouse is in Evanston, arranging for the appearance at that place tomorrow.

WARREN A. PATRICK, private secretary of Ringling Brothers, paid The Gazette a call today. He says the trip through the western states was a delightful one, and that the show was attended by immense crowds at every stand.

D. W. WATT rode with Al. Ringling at the head of the procession. Nearly every man with the show knew Mr. Watt, and many of the "razorbacks" and drivers shouted greetings to him while the supplies were being taken to the fair ground before the parade this morning.

MAYOR Carter A. Harrison and one thousand wheelmen of Chicago, will attend the Ringling Bros. performance at Evanston, Ill., tomorrow. Several trolley parties composed of the society people of the city will also attend, and the coming of the big show is looked upon as a social event.

NEWS HEARD ABOUT THE CITY

BLACK raspberries 90 cents a case at Sanborn's.

FIFTY cases raspberries 90 cents a case. Sanborn.

GREGG black raspberries, 50 cases at 90 cents a case at Sanborn's.

SPECIAL announcement on berries. Sanborn's ad, page 8 tonight.

SANBORN has a most complete line of vegetables and fruit for tomorrow.

LADIES' \$3 and \$5 shoes at 49 cents during the sheriff's sale at Richardson's.

FOR sale cheap—a second hand bicycle in good repair. Enquire of A. C. Munger.

A GIRL has arrived at the North Bluff street home of Mr. and Mrs. John Flynn.

\$10,000 worth of shoes at sheriff's sale, greatest sacrifice ever seen in Janesville. Richardson.

THE opportunity of a lifetime to buy fine shoes for almost nothing at the sheriff's sale now going on at Richardson's.

THE Baptist Sunday school will hold their picnic at Crystal Springs park next Tuesday. The boats leave at 10, 1:30, 3 and 4:30 o'clock.

J. H. SPRADLING, the young man who was adjudged insane at the jail yesterday by Drs. Whiting and Pembler, will be taken to Mendota tomorrow.

\$10,000 worth of fine shoes sold by the sheriff of Marinette for the benefit of creditors, and placed on sale at the A. Richardson Shoe Co. All to go at a great sacrifice.

THIS sheriff's sale of fine shoes does great things for the public makes Strong & Garfield's \$6 and \$7 fine patent leather shoes go at 49 cents a pair. Richardson.

FIFTY people took possession of Idlewild Park last evening, the occasion being two private picnic parties. The grounds were handsomely illuminated. Messrs. and Mesdames Fred Howe, I. M. Harrington and T. O. Howe were the host and hostesses of one of these delightful functions, which was given in honor of friends from Ohio. Light refreshments were served, and the return trip was made by moonlight.

SUFFERING with a sprained foot, and many bruises, Thomas Tetten, a farm hand, who has been employed on the Hutchinson farm north of this city, applied at the Oak Lawn hospital this morning for medical assistance. He was admitted and Dr. Joe Whiting attended him. Tetten says he accidentally missed his footing and fell from the top of a large hay stack to the ground below striking on his side and right leg.

WORK OF TEMPLE FINISHED TODAY

PATRIARCHS CONCLUDE THE ANNUAL SESSION.

Remaining Officers Are Appointed and Elected Before Adjournment—Resolutions Adopted Complimenting the Bower City and Her People—Meeting Place Not Selected.

The seventeenth annual session of the Supreme Temple of the Patriarchal Circle of America came to a close this morning after one of the most successful meetings ever held in the history of the Temple. The following officers were elected and appointed this morning:

Supreme Standard Bearer—M. D. Bavor, Saginaw, Mich.

Supreme Sentinel—J. A. Snow, Boston, Mass.

Supreme Guard—A. J. Smith, Waukesha, Wis.

First Aide—E. B. Chamberlain, Whitewater.

Second Aide—Alexander Ailsman, Elkhart, Ind.

At 8 o'clock this morning the adjourned meeting of yesterday was called to order at Concordia hall with the supreme officers in the chair. The various committees made their reports, which were accepted, after which Past Supreme Oracle Peter Van Vechten of Milwaukee, proceeded to install the officers.

Remarks Are Made

Supreme Oracle Kenyon in a short speech returned thanks for the honor that had been bestowed upon him by his re-election.

At the close of the session James A. Fathers spoke of the meeting and especially of the hearty support that the citizens of Janesville had extended.

The matter of where the meeting will be held next year has been left with the supreme oracle and the supreme secretary to settle. That Janesville could secure the meeting again without much trouble was the opinion of those present at this morning's meeting, while among the numerous outside towns who are striving for it there is little doubt but what Waukesha is at present most favored.

Supreme Secretary G. C. Ridings said this morning that never in the history of the Temple was a more successful or pleasant annual session held than that which just closed in this city.

The report of the secretary shows that the order is stronger and is in better shape than it has been for the past six years.

Resolutions Adopted

Supreme Secretary Ridings offered the following resolutions:

"While we are so well aware of the fact that words fail us in the attempt to express our feeling of gratitude and thankfulness towards all of those who have so kindly and continuously contributed so much in words and acts towards making our sojourn in Janesville, Wis., one so full of pleasure and enjoyment, we offer the following resolution:

"RESOLVED, That we, the officers and members of the Supreme Temple of the Patriarchal Circle of America now in its seventeenth session, do with a feeling of indebtedness extend to the officers and members of Bower City Temple No. 3, of Janesville, Wis., Knight Patriarch J. A. Fathers and his corps of so efficient committeemen, his honor, Mayor John Thoroughgood, the Myers House and other hotels, the ladies of the Golden Band, Otis Brand and the other gentlemen connected with the city press, and the citizens of Janesville our true and heartfelt gratitude for their individual and united labors in making our stay among them of such unlimited pleasure and we do desire to convey to each and all an individual as well as united feeling of gratitude and appreciation and would further assure them all that their kind acts and words are deeply and plainly engraved upon our memories."

The resolution was adopted by a unanimous rising vote.

The Prize Drill.

The prize drill occurred at Mayflower park yesterday. Only two teams competed one from this city, commanded by Capt. F. H. Koebelin and the other commanded by Capt. James G. Armstrong, of Milwaukee. Each team was composed of twelve members. After the drilling there was a dress parade, at which the prizes were presented. The judges awarded the first prize, a beautiful emblematic sword, to Bower City Temple No. 3, of Janesville, and the second prize, two beautiful pieces of bronze statuary, to Badger Temple No. 13, of Milwaukee. The judges were Captain Joe B. Whiting, Captain James Gibson and Colonel Theo. W. Goldin.

Colonel Goldin presented the trophies to the respective captains of the teams. The standing of the Janesville team was 143 7-15 and that of the Milwaukee team 125.

Smith's orchestra played for the dancing.

Public Announcement.

The visiting Patriarchs, and especially the famous quartette of "Louies," take this means of thanking the members of Bower City Temple No. 3, the ladies of Yuba Circle, Patriarchal Circle of America and the public in general, for their kind reception and most cordial hospitality extended to all visitors during the seventeenth annual session of the Supreme Temple. Never in the history of Supreme Temple sessions were the visitors so royally entertained as in the beautiful and inviting city of Janesville.

"THE LOUIES."

ENJOYED A BICYCLE PARTY

Young People Had Supper at Spalding's Lake Last Evening

The first bicycle party of the season took place yesterday afternoon on the shores of Spalding's lake north of this city. A party of nineteen left town late in the afternoon arriving at their destination in time for the serving of a bounteous supper at 6:30 o'clock. The return trip was made by moonlight. Those who went were:

Misses—Annie Valentine, Lillian Benis, Hattie Bostwick, Emma Winans, Ella Sutherland, Marcia Jackson, Maggie Jackson, Alice Shearer and Mabel Greenman.

Messrs.—Samuel Echlin, Edwin Peterson, Henry Carpenter, Frank McNamara, Charles Sutherland, Edwin Norcross, Bernard Palmer, Cummings and Edwin Williamson.

MANY CYCLERS CAME TODAY

Two Hundred Bikers Visit the Bower City—The Evansville Party.

Evansville sent the largest delegation of cyclists to Janesville today. As early as 6 o'clock this morning wheelmen could be seen coming into the city from all directions and as early as 11 o'clock it was estimated that fully 200 were here on bicycles. Among those who made the trip from Evansville were:

Messrs. and Mesdames—Fred Gillman and George Wiggins.

Misses—Jessie Allen, Annie Johnson, Alice Spencer and Bessie Spencer.

Messrs.—Earl Gould, Will Stevens, G. Myhill, Carl Stevens, Burr Libby, Frank Pettigrew, Ben. Clifford, Ward Stevens, Charles Howles, Wilbur Estes, Elmer Shergar, Burt Bullard, Fred Jones and George Neil.

NEWS OF A PERSONAL NATURE.

THEODORE GRAY was down from Whitewater.

DR. W. S. Stevens of Evansville, was here to see the show.

MR. and Mrs. Chas. Cullen, of Edgerton spent the day in town.

MRS. M. J. McCUE returned home today from a visit to Waukesha.

MISS ALICE FARNSWORTH is home from a visit with friends in Evansville.

WILLIAM LOEBLO, the pearl hunter from Monroe, was here today.

MISSES Levy and Cohn of Chicago, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Levy.

WARREN A. PATRICK was busy today greeting his numerous local friends.

MISS Beulah James of Richland Center, is the guest of her brother, O. B. James.

G. D. GROAT, a former Janesville man, but now of Evansville, took in the circus today.

GENERAL F. A. Woodward, Supreme Department Commander of the Patriarchal Circle of America, is in the city, and is the guest of James A. Fathers. He will attend the meeting of Rock River Encampment No. 3 this evening.

CITY NEWS IN A PARAGRAPH.

EARLY Settlers picnic, July 21.

FIVE street cars were on duty today.

EGGS 8 cents dozen Saturday only.

SANBORN.

THE Park Hotel cared for 140 people at dinner today.

STRICTLY fresh eggs, Saturday only, 8 cents a dozen at Sanborn's.

ALL the eggs you want only 8 cents a dozen at Sanborn's tomorrow.

EIGHT cents dozen for strictly fresh eggs, Saturday only. Sanborn.

SATURDAY only, strictly fresh eggs only 8 cents a dozen at Sanborn's.

Don't fail to attend the Early Settlers picnic up the river Wednesday, July 21.

THE great health drink, Winsor Cereal coffee. Ball & Bates are serving it free today and tomorrow.

If you are down town stop in at Ball & Bates and try a cup of Winsor Cereal coffee, the great nerve tonic.

If you value your health you will try Winsor Cereal coffee. Ball & Bates are serving it free all day today and tomorrow.

THE Early Settlers will have the picnic of the season, Wednesday, July 21. Judge E. W. Keyes of Madison, will be among the speakers.

On the grounds of desertion W. H. Cretsley was today granted a divorce from his wife, Minnie Cretsley, in the circuit court by Judge John R. Bennett. Both parties are well known and are residents of Beloit.

Of Course She Should.

"I don't take any stock in this talk about the new woman."

"No?"

"Not at all. If the time is coming when women will do the lovmaking she isn't the one of whom it is to be expected."

"No?" in some surprise.

"Well, I should say not."

"Of whom, then?"

"Why, one would naturally think that the tailor-made girl would be the one who could press her suit."

History fails to record what happened to this man, but presumably he was treated to nothing less than boiling oil.—Chicago Post.

A Variation.

"Here's another case of a young man's becoming a victim of cigarettes."

"Of course," replied the man who hates the habit; "it's the same old story. He persisted in the practice in spite of the advice of friends and physicians. He became a nervous wreck, and lingered painfully until the fatal termination came."

"No. The fatal termination was there, but he didn't linger. He smoked them in a powder magazine."—Washington Star.

MAY MERGE ORDERS AFTER CONFERENCE

THE COMMITTEES ARE NAMED TO NEGOTIATE.

Patriarchal Circle and Patriarchs Militant May Consolidate—Meeting Set For Today Postponed Because of the Non-Arrival Of One of the Members of the Commission.

Will the Patriarchal Circle of America and the Patriarchs Militant consolidate?

Five men who are to meet at the Hotel Myers will decide the matter.

They are General Woodward and General Elliott of the Patriarchs Militant, and Supreme Oracle Kenyon, Supreme Secretary Ridings and James A. Fathers of the Patriarchal Circle.

For some time past there has been considerable talk of consolidation.

Before the adjournment of the Supreme Temple, Messrs. Kenyon, Ridings, and Fathers were authorized to act for the Circle, while General Woodward and General Elliott are authorized to act for the Militant order. General Woodward is now here but the non arrival of General Elliott made it necessary to postpone the conference, which was set for this morning until this afternoon in hope that he would come on the noon train. He did not come, however, so nothing could be done although the other members of the committee discussed the proposition informally.

"Nothing will be done today" said Secretary Ridings this afternoon "and nothing will be done immediately any way. Some time will be taken up in discussing the matter."

THE VALLEY OF THE SHADOW

Funeral of Miss McGlone.

The funeral of Miss Katie McGlone was held from St. Patrick's church at 9:30 o'clock this morning. Rev. Dean McGlone officiating. The interment was at Mount Olivet, the pall bearers being: Joseph Donahue, William Campbell, George Campbell, Thomas Tracy, Andrew Ellison and William Connell.

Jane E. Barnes.

Mrs. Jane E. Barnes, wife of George Barnes, died at Buffalo, N. Y., on July 10. Mrs. Barnes was born in England on October 8 1808. She leaves four children—Mrs. T. Coatsworth, Mrs. Harriet Jackson, Augustus Coatsworth and Mrs. Mary Hodson.

Sanborn & Co.

Sanborn has just received 50 cases of the famous Gregg black raspberries, the choicest fruit grown and will sell them at the remarkable low price of 90 cents a case. Such a golden opportunity, will not be placed at the disposal of housekeepers again this season, and as the stock is limited it will be necessary to get your order in at once. These berries have sold all along at \$1.40 and at the reduced price 90 cents, they will go with great rapidity. Don't delay in ordering as first to come first served. Sanborn & Co.

A \$10,000 sale of shoes at Richardson's.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK.

ROYAL makes the food pure, wholesome and delicious.

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A Montana Divorce Suit

By W. L. ALDEN.

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"You saw that tall chap standing on the rear platform of the express when she went through here this morning?" said the Jemcho station master. "He's the Athensville Baptist preacher, and he's on his way to Chicago to give his testimony in the great divorce suit. What! I never told you about any divorce suit? Well, you surprise me, for that there divorce suit is just the biggest thing of the kind we have ever had in this section of the country."

"That Baptist preacher hasn't anything to do with it except to swear that he married the plaintiff and the defendant. There's nothing crooked about the Rev. Mr. Humphreys. He's as good as they make 'em, though I say it myself, and I don't think much of Baptists as a general thing, having been brought up a Methodist, though I resigned from them when I was made conductor, which is a berth that a man can't do anything with unless he can swear a blue streak when the occasion arises."

"This hyer preacher took charge of the Athensville Baptist church a matter of five years ago, and, being a wonderful man for managing a church and making it attractive to the general public, it wasn't long before he had the largest congregation of any preacher in the place. The Presbyterian minister felt that he had to do something to maintain his position, so he preached a series of sermons on baptism, proving, as he thought, that sprinkling was the only authorized way of baptism, and that immersion was all a mistake. In one of his sermons he made a pretty good point by showing that on one occasion John the Baptist baptized so many people in the course of a day that he must have averaged three to the minute. This, the preacher claimed, would have been impossible if he had done it in any other way than by sprinkling. Mr. Humphreys only laughed when they told him about this sermon and said, 'Just wait till we have our regular spring baptizing season.' So the next spring, when there were about 40 people young and old waiting to join the Baptists, Mr. Humphreys, he takes the whole lot down to the creek and immerses every one of them in less than ten minutes, breaking the record and beating John the Baptist's best time. This made him more popular than ever, and that year the people built him a new church twice as big as the old one. It stands on the hill about a mile out of Athensville, for when it was built it was called that the town would grow in that direction, which somehow it hasn't done."

"I tell this just to show what an enterprising man the parson was. He insisted on having the tallest steeple to his new church that could be found anywhere in Montana territory, and b'gosh he got it. People used to come from miles away to climb up in that steeple and see the view. There wasn't any view to speak of, the country being too hilly in those parts to have much scenery, but for all that people were anxious to say that they had been to the top of the steeple."

"There was an old maid in Mr. Humphreys' congregation who was more determined to get married than any woman you ever saw. She was one of those thin, persevering looking women, and a mighty dangerous sort they are. Miss Payson, which was this lady's name, was bound to marry a young man by the name of Halsey, who had never done her any harm and was about as sensible and well behaved a chap as there was in all Athensville. Of course he didn't have the least idea of marrying the woman, but he was one of those good tempered chaps that are always afraid to say no when a woman asks them to do anything. Good temper is the ruin of lots of folks. It's kept me down. I know that. If I'd been one of these crusty, rampagous fellows that never do a kind action if they can help it, I should have been superintendent of this road instead of being only a station master at one of the smallest stations in the territory. Never you be too good tempered. Of the two it ruins more men than whisky."

"One day Miss Payson she gets young Halsey to take her up in the steeple of the Baptist church. You see, visitors were always going up that steeple between the hours of 10 and 5, during which the sexton staid at the church to attend to things and see that they conducted themselves as they should. At 5 o'clock he looked up the door that led to the steeple, and then he looked up the church door and went home for the night."

"Miss Payson and her young man went up the steeple about 3 o'clock in the afternoon, but she said she enjoyed it so much that Halsey was prevailed upon to stay there with her a good deal later than he had intended to stay. She kept him pointing out all the houses in the town and every hill and valley in the whole neighborhood, and when she finally asked him to look at his watch and tell her the time she was, as she pretended, dreadfully alarmed to find that it was half past 5. Halsey ran down the stairs and found that the door was locked, and nobody was within hearing. The sexton had forgotten that there was any one up the steeple and had locked up and gone home at 5 o'clock, as usual. Halsey came back and told Miss Payson, who burst into tears and said that her reputation was ruined. She and Halsey would have to spend the night in the steeple unless he was willing to jump out of the window and break his neck, and she had rather die a thousand times than let him do that."

"Halsey was considerably scared himself, for he saw that unless he could invent some way of getting Miss Payson out of that steeple he would have to marry her whether he wanted to or not. He thought the matter over for awhile, Miss Payson weeping her level best, and resting her head in a forgetful sort of

way on his shoulder. Finally a bright idea struck him. There was the bell rope, which was a stout one inch manilla. Why shouldn't he lower Miss Payson to the ground with it, and then slide down it himself?"

"He explained his plan to the lady, but she didn't seem to like it. She said she was sure the rope would break, or that he would drop it, or that she would be killed in some sort of way, if the experiment was tried. 'No,' says she, 'I will remain here and trust to your honor as a gentleman to defend me from the sneers of the heartless world. I really haven't the courage to allow you to lower me down this awful height with any rope.'

"Halsey wouldn't hear to her objections and argued with her a long time. It wasn't until he accidentally mentioned that the steeple was chock full of mice and rats and bats and such that Miss Payson consented to try the rope. Even then she was a mighty dissatisfied woman and came very near resolving that she would take the risk of the wild animals rather than lose such a first chance for capturing a desirable husband. Halsey rigged up a sort of seat for the woman, so that she could sit in the bight of the rope, with lashings around her here and there, and couldn't fall out if she wanted to. Then he got her to stand on the window ledge and lowered away. Miss Payson shrieked a good deal at first and begged Halsey to let her come back and die close to him, but he wasn't going to have any woman dying around his neck if he knew himself. So he lowered her down gently and easily, encouraging her all the time, till he found that his rope had come to an end. It wasn't quite as long as he had supposed that it was, and the upshot was that there was Miss Payson about 30 feet from the ground, with no possible way of reaching it unless Halsey should let go his end of the rope."

"He thought of letting go of it, but being a humane, good tempered man, as I said, he couldn't bring himself to do it, since the result would have been that either Miss Payson would have been killed or at least most of her limbs would have been broken. So he made the end of the rope fast to a beam and called out to Miss Payson not to lose courage, and he would soon think of some way of getting her out of the difficulty. She begged him to draw her up again, and he actually tried to do it, knowing all the while what the consequences would be if he succeeded, but he found that he didn't have the necessary strength. Miss Payson was heavier than she looked to be, though she was mostly bones, but she was a good 75 feet below him, and it would have taken two men of his strength to have hoisted her up into the steeple again. He pulled at the rope till he was pretty nearly exhausted, for he naturally felt a little ashamed of acknowledging to a woman that there was anything that he wasn't strong enough to do. However, he had to come to it at last and tell her that if it was to save both their lives he couldn't manage to pull her back into the steeple. So she settled down to cry, and he settled down to smoke a pipe, with a view to clearing his ideas."

"All of a sudden he saw what he ought to do and wondered that he had been such an idiot as to not have seen it before. There was the bell just above his head, and all he had to do was to climb up and ring it by swinging the clapper from side to side till the alarm should bring back the sexton with the keys. By this time it was getting rather dark, and Halsey set to work at that bell and kept on tolling it slow and regular, for that was the only way he could manage to ring it."

"It's the custom with us to toll the bell when anybody dies and to give just as many strokes on the bell as the deceased had lived years. When Halsey began to toll the bell, the Athensville people listened to find out how old the deceased had been. When the strokes had got up among the eighties, they allowed that the oldest settler in the town must have died very sudden, for he had been seen drunk, as usual, and in perfect health that afternoon as late as 3 o'clock. But the bell kept on, and bimeby, after it had tolled some 250 times and showed no signs of stopping, folks began to think that the sexton had just happened to hear about the death of Methuselah and was notifying other people of the fact."

"You may ask why didn't somebody go to the church and find out what the bell was ringing for. Well, for one thing, it was just supper time, and nobody felt anxious to take a walk of a mile or two just at that hour. Then, too, it had been said that the Baptist churchyard was haunted, and there wasn't any general desire to interfere with ghosts in case they should have taken a notion to toll the bell. The tolling kept on till Halsey had tolled the bell over 400 times, and then Rev. Mr. Humphreys arrived on the spot, and when he heard Miss Payson's voice somewhere in the air over his head he was considerably startled, though not being a believer in ghosts he wasn't the least bit frightened."

"How on earth did you come up there, ma'am," asked the minister, "and what are you tolling the bell for?" "Miss Payson explained what was the matter. She said that she and Mr. Halsey had come to the church in the afternoon, call'tin to find the parson there and to get married; that not finding him they had gone into the steeple to see the view and had accidentally been locked in. She was sure that she couldn't live many minutes longer, she felt so weak, and she hoped Mr. Humphreys would marry her to Mr. Halsey without another minute's delay, and so save her reputation even if it didn't save her life."

"The minister wanted to send for help and get her safe on the solid ground before marrying her, but she said that she must be married before she could dare to face any of her townsmen. Such, she said, were also dear Mr. Halsey's views, and if Mr. Humphreys had the feelings of a man and a

Christian, let alone a Baptist minister, he would go ahead with the marriage service."

"Mr. Humphreys finally consented and called out to Halsey to nod when he should see the minister wave his right arm, that being the only way in which Halsey could make the responses, seeing as his voice didn't fairly reach to the ground. Having arranged this satisfactorily, as he thought, Mr. Humphreys went ahead, and in about two minutes he had Miss Payson married to Mr. Halsey. Just then the sexton came up with keys, and knowing where he could lay his hand on a length of rope he took it up into the steeple with him and bent it on to the bell rope. Then he and Mr. Halsey lowered Miss Payson to the ground and came down the stairs together."

"You'll find your wife waiting for you in the graveyard," says Mr. Humphreys to Halsey. "She's naturally a little excited, and she's resting on a flat tombstone."

"If you mean Miss Payson," says Halsey, "I can't understand why you call her my wife."

"I call her your wife," says the minister, "because I have just married you two, and I don't allow no man to question the binding character of any marriage that I have a hand in."

"Married us!" cried Halsey. "When and where? This is the first time I have heard of it."

"Young man," says the parson, "this hyer's a serious subject, and I don't approve of jokes on either weddings or



So he lowered her down gently.

funerals. Miss Payson told me, while she was swinging there in the air, that you and she wanted to be married the worst way, and so I married you. If there's any mistake, I'm not to blame. I've done my best as a minister of the gospel, and if you don't like it you can go to the divorce court and see if you can get it altered. I'll tell you candidly that I don't believe any court will listen to you, for my marriages are iron-clad and bullet proof every time and worth a good sight more than the \$5 that I'm waiting for you to pay me."

"Well, Halsey, he went home pretty mad, without waiting to see Miss Payson, and the very next day he begins a suit for a divorce. That's the great divorce suit I was telling you about when I pointed out Rev. Mr. Humphreys to you. It's been dragging along for four years. Sometimes it's decided in favor of Halsey and sometimes in favor of Miss Payson, and then it's always appealed and has to be tried over again. Miss Payson, she sticks to it that Halsey had agreed to marry her and that he understood perfectly well everything the parson said while the ceremony was going on. The parson says that Halsey nodded as was agreed upon when he asked him if he took Miss Payson to be his wedded wife and all that sort of thing, and that Halsey had hold of the rope that was tied to Miss Payson, which was all the same as having hold of her hand. On the other hand, Halsey swears that he never meant to marry the woman and never knew that a marriage ceremony was being gone through with, but that he just nodded out of friendliness when he saw the parson waving his hand at him. The evidence, as you can see, is pretty straight against him, and when he does happen to get a verdict it costs him a powerful lot of money, for our jrymen are mighty honest and high toned, and it takes a good deal of money to induce them to see things in a light favorable to Halsey. I'm interested in the case because of its importance, for if the courts finally decide that a man can be married to a woman when he is 75 feet above her and don't know what is going on none of us is safe, and first you know some woman that is rushing through here on the express will be married to me while I am selling tickets in my office and knowing no more about than a child unhung. Well, there is no use in sitting and dreading dangers that may never come to time, and I suppose it's a man's fate to be married he's got to knock under, and there's no good in worrying himself over it till the time comes."

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To all whom it may concern: Pursuant to an order made in the Circuit Court for Rock County, Wisconsin, dated June 28th, 1897, all creditors of E. R. Inman, of Janesville, Wisconsin, are required to show cause, if any they have, before said Court at the Court House in the city of Janesville, Rock County, Wisconsin, on the 30th day of September, 1897, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as the matter of said petition can be heard, why said E. R. Inman should not be adjudged to be an insolvent debtor within the purview of Chapter 179 of the Revised Statutes of Wisconsin, and the several acts amendatory thereof, and why an assignment of the estate of E. R. Inman, such insolvent debtor, should not be made, and why he should not be discharged from his debts, and why such other and further order should not be made as shall be just and equitable in the premises.

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The large and poor population of this domain are absolutely dependent upon the proprietor. Their dwellings are wretched, even for this climate; their wardrobe would make a rag market in any ghetto, and they are apt to be in debt to the proprietor, who gives them their wages in store pay, at a handsome profit. And yet, as far as I can see, it is a contented and cheerful population, both in country and city. There is an air of leisure everywhere; church festivals and holidays are frequent; every one has his siesta in the middle of the day; in small cities the shops close from 12 to 3; the tramways take a rest then also, and there is no appearance that laborers are driven in their tasks. You cannot hurry anything or anybody. For "to-morrow" is always coming. It will thus be seen that it is a good country for the laboring man, who can wear anything that will hold together, eat anything that a cent will buy, sleep on a mat on the ground wrapped in his serape, and who has not been taught that if he has a piece of silver worth 50 cents it is his right to take it to the mint and have it coined into a dollar.

THIRSTED AND DIED.

A Monk Starves Himself to Death in a Choir Loft.

Brother Martin of the Franciscan Order of Monks was found dead in a corner of the choir of the Franciscan church at Waitzen, Austria, late in April. An investigation revealed these facts regarding his death: Early in April, 1891, Brother Martin made a bed of straw in the darkest corner of the choir. The spot was secluded; the monk was undisturbed. With chalk he wrote on the wall: "April 8, 1891: As many crosses as I make on the wall so many days have I hungered and thirsted. The end will come within ten days." There were nine crosses on the wall when the body was found. It is surmised that the monk lived a little longer, but did not have the strength to make another cross. Ragged dots of chalk on the wall seemed to indicate that he had tried to make a tenth cross, but had been too weak. The body had dried away to a mere skeleton when found. There were the bones, with the flesh dried on them all covered with the monk's garb. Brother Martin was 53 years old when he decided to starve himself to death. He had been a monk for fifteen years. He was in bad health, and unable to work. He had long been a wanderer but Waitzen was his native town and he returned to it to die.

Lord Rosebery's Wittleism.

During Lord Rosebery's term as foreign secretary in Mr. Gladstone's last administration, he was often annoyed by an elderly female who paid him daily visits to get his opinion on matters of no importance to him whatever. Finally, becoming exasperated at the woman, he gave the doorkeepers orders not to admit her under any circumstances. However, not a day passed that she did not make an effort to gain a hearing, and on an unusually late visit happened to meet the secretary just as he was about to enter his carriage.

"Lord Rosebery," said she, breathlessly, "I must see you on a most important subject, and at once."

"Very well, madam," said the urbane secretary of state, holding open the door of the vehicle for her, "I beg of you to get in."

Delighted to be invited to drive with so important a personage, the talkative lady jumped into the carriage. Rosebery gently closing the door on her, and before she could expostulate she heard him saying to the coachman:

"Take the lady wherever she wishes to go, James, and then home."

Looking out of the window, the now irate occupant saw her late victim stepping into a cab.—Harper's Round Table.

Reflections of a Bachelor.

In all probability Eve did it because Adam refused to go and set out the geraniums.

After a man has moved he never feels quite at home till the dog next door quits barking at him.

A woman can never enjoy a visit very much, because she is always worrying for fear her husband will use all the napkins for wash-rags while she is away.

The longer a man is married the less room he finds for his clothes in any of the closets.

In His Own Way.

Weary Wrangles—"Say, Loafey, yer gittin' too fat. W'y don't yer walk some?" Loafey Luke—"I don't want to go in nobody's way." Weary Wrangles—"Dere's nobody here but you." Loafey Luke—"I know, but dat's jest it. Me calves interfere."—New York Press.

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Overdoing It.
The injured citizen had called at the police office to report that thieves had gone through his basement the night before and stole a quantity of lead pipe. "I wouldn't have minded it so much," he said, "only it was the second time within a week."

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A Compulsory Delay.
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Not Rushing Into Danger.
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The High Pitch.

"The pitch of that roof," said the architect friend,
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Dropped onto his neck, and the architect swore.

Wasted.
"It's surprising how impractical some very learned men are."
"Yes; there's Prof. Lingwist for example. He spent over half his life in acquiring fluency in nine or ten different languages, and then went and married a wife who never gives him a chance to get a word in edgeways."—N. Y. Truth.

A Professional Secret.

Friend—And you say there's nothing the matter with old Hangan?
Doctor—Nothing in the world.

Friend—Then what on earth did you send him to Carlsbad for?
Doctor—Why, that's where his wife wanted to spend the summer.—Chicago Journal.

Held Her Own.

"I have never seen your daughter," said the visitor, "but I have heard that she is very beautiful. Of course she gets her beauty from you!"
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Waiting for a Rise.

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Chicago & Northwestern	Leave For	Arrive From
Chgo Via Clinton*	6:40 am	9:30 pm
Chgo Via Clinton & Sharon	7:35 am	8:10 pm
Chgo Via Clinton & Sharon	12:40 pm	12:40 pm
Chgo Via Clinton & Sharon	2:30 pm	12:40 pm
Chgo Via Beloit, Elgin, Elgin	7:00 am	6:30 am
Beloit, DeKalb & Omaha	2:10 pm	11:55 am
Elgin	10:45 am	8:50 pm
Beloit, Rockford, Freeport, & Elgin	12:23 pm	7:30 pm
Watertown, Fond du Lac	7:30 pm	10:25 pm
Waukesha & Milwaukee	12:45 pm	10:40 pm
Watertown & Juneau Freight	4:00 pm	7:50 am
Evansville, Brooklyn, Oregon	8:10 pm	7:50 am
Madison, Elroy, La Crosse, Winona and points in Minn & Dak.	6:30 am
Evansville, Madison, Elroy, La Crosse, Winona & St Paul	10:50 am	3:00 pm
Layden, Fellows, Evansville, Brooklyn, Oregon, Madison	8:05 pm	12:05 pm
Evansville, Madison, St Paul & Duluth	9:30 pm	7:20 pm
Evansville, Madison, St Paul, Winona & Dakota	12:45 am	7:20 pm
Evansville, Madison & Elroy	7:30 am
Chgo Via Beloit & Harvard	2:15 pm	1:15 pm
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Chicago, North, East, West and General	12:40 p.m.
Chicago, East and points	6:00 p.m.	8:00
North and West, via Madison	11:30 a.m.	8:00
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North, Northwest, etc.	6:30 p.m.	7:00 p.m.
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THE TCHUKTCHIS.

They Value a Wife at a Handful of Tobacco.

The English explorer Harry de Windt, recently returned to London from the Siberian shores of Behring Strait. In a short time he will leave England for a lecturing tour in the United States. He was brutally treated by the Tchuktchis at Oumwaidjik. In consequence of this the United States government will, it is said, send a vessel to Oumwaidjik to punish the chief. The Tchuktchis are nominally Russian subjects, but the only vessels ever in the neighborhood are American whalers and the United States revenue cutter. Mr. De Windt had an enforced sojourn of two months among the natives. He says they are physically a far finer race than the Alaskan Eskimo races, and their women are better looking, but the Tchuktchis are wholly devoid of morality, and will barter a wife for a handful of tobacco. Infidelity is no crime among them. They number altogether about 5,000, and along Bering strait are seven settlements of perhaps 300 each. The others are scattered along the seaboard of the Arctic ocean, stretching away to the settlement of Nijni Kolymsk. The most weird Tchuktchit ceremony is the "Kamitsk." This is simply the putting to death, with their free consent, of aged or useless members of the community. When a Tchuktchit's powers have decreased to an appreciable extent, a family council is held, and a day fixed for the victim's departure for another world. Perhaps the most curious feature is the indifference shown by the doomed one, who takes a lively interest in the proceedings, and often assists in the preparations for his own death. The execution is preceded by a feast, where seal and walrus meat are greedily devoured and villainous whisky is consumed.

They Met at the Well.

From the London (Ky.) Echo: While your correspondent was in Clay county last week he witnessed a fight to a finish that was terrible in all its details, the belligerents being E. H. Cress, a prominent school teacher of Clay county, and Miss Etta Johnson, a daughter of the Rev. Johnson of High Knob. Mr. Cress was drinking from a bucket, the pail having a rope attached to it. Miss Johnson seized the rope and gave it a jerk, with the result that he received a drenching and a cut lip which made him very angry, and he called her "old banjo back." She retaliated by whacking him over the back with a stick. Cress threw the bucket of water on her and started to run, but before he had covered a dozen yards he was brought to the ground by a rock, which was hurled by Miss Johnson with force and precision that would do credit to a base ball pitcher. Before he had time to rise Miss Johnson flew at him like a wildcat and beat him nearly to death before friends could interfere.

At the Club.

"When I see a man sit and play solitaire all the evening I always think he must like himself pretty well."
"Yes, and it looks as though he had a sort of monopoly in it, too."—Chicago Journal.

Self Evident.

"Poor chap! He's a deaf and dumb painter and can't hear how loud his work really is."
"Still, he isn't altogether unhappy, I imagine. He can still make signs."—Cincinnati Tribune.

One on the Police.

"That was a mean trick Gilhooly put up on a policeman in our ward."
"What did he do?"
"Invited him to take a drink, and put something in his beer that kept him awake all night."—Tammany Times.

They Will Get Larger.

"Gracious, Jack, what immense shirt studs you wear!"
"Well, you know how buttonholes act. I'm going to keep up with them if it takes a dinner plate."—Chicago Record.

His Only Cure.

Tomdik—Staggers is free from the liquor habit at last.
Hojack—Indeed? When did he die?
—Harlem Life.

Overheard at the Ball.

Parker—What! That your mother? Why, she don't look old enough to have a daughter as—a—hem—as—er—as young as you.—Harlem Life.

Monument to Marquette.

Marquette, Mich., July 16.—Marquette held a great celebration Thursday, unveiling a bronze monument of the explorer and priest whose name it bears. The weather was fine, and there were large delegations from every town in the peninsula. The main speech was made by Don M. Dickinson of Detroit. G. Trentanove, the sculptor, was present and responded when called for by the crowd.

Cleveland to Be Made President.

Washington, July 16.—It is reported that ex-President Cleveland will in November be formally tendered the office of president of the University of Virginia. Heretofore the chairman of the faculty has been at the head of the university.

A Memorable Occasion.

From the Chicago Tribune: At the command of the teacher Johnny wrote on the blackboard: Tuesday, May 4, A. D. 1897. "What does A. D. mean, Johnny?" she asked. "It means Anson day, ma'am," replied Johnny, without a moment's hesitation.

Figurative Language.

Yeast—"Isn't old Cragin a double-eyed villain?" Crimsonbeak—"Yes; a regular whited sepulcher."—Yonkers Statesman.

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